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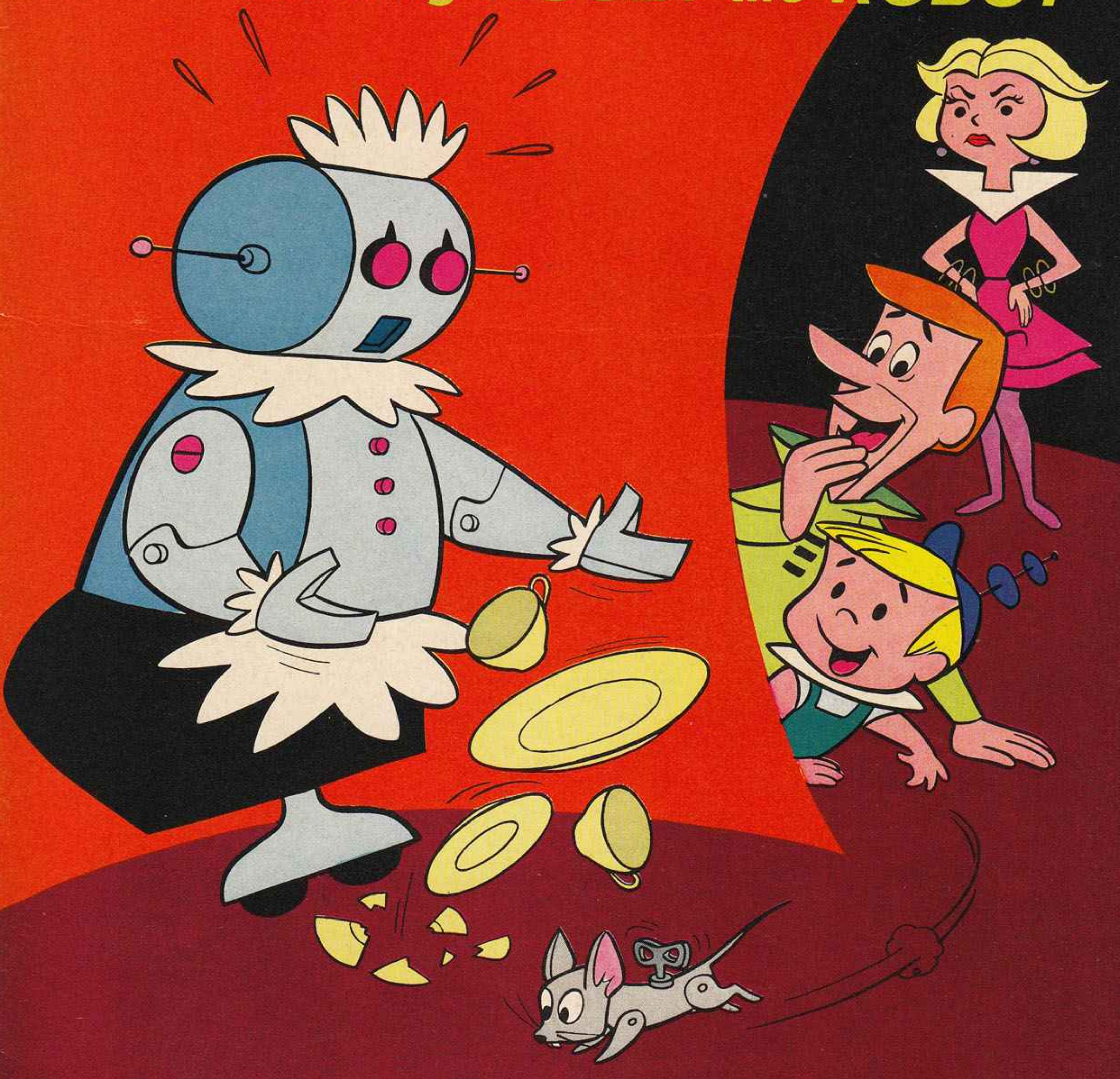
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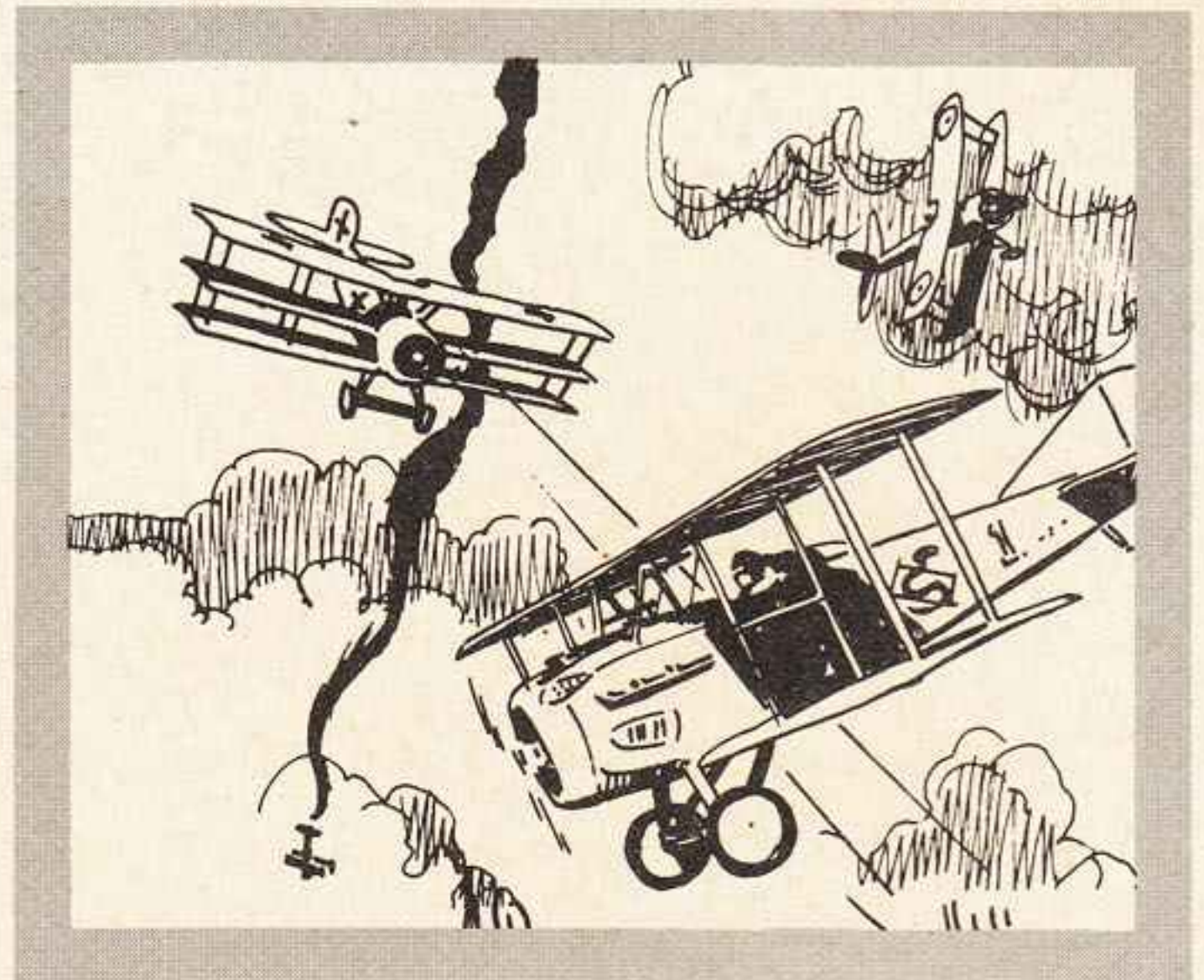
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Aviation Comes of Age

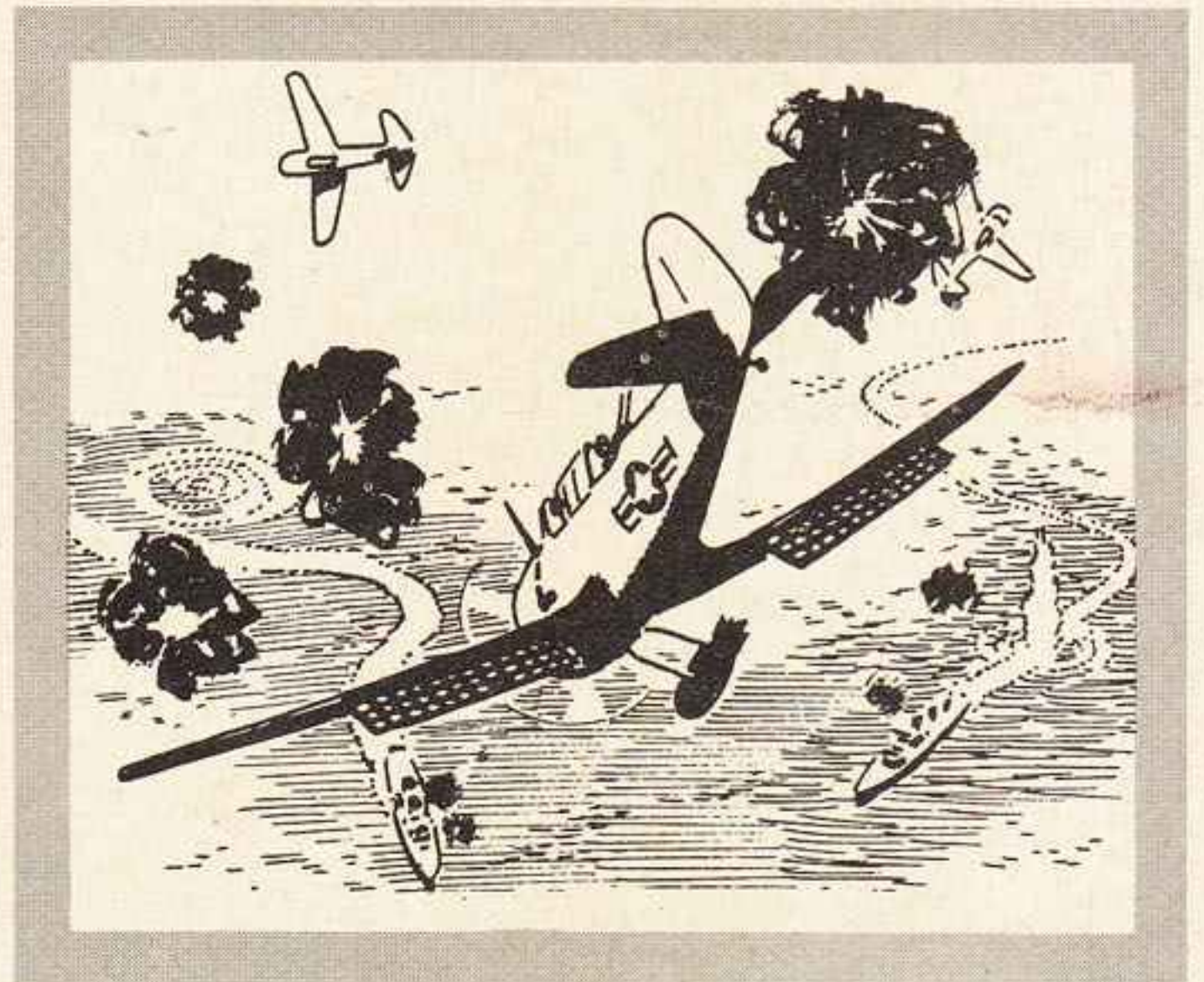
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Aviation grew up in World War I. Aerial combat required speed and maneuverability, and planes to fill the need were demanded.



Fokker in Germany, de Haviland in England, and Curtiss in America worked furiously to produce faster fighters and heavier bombers.



A quarter-century later, the World War II dive bombers, Flying Fortresses, and Zeros bore little resemblance to their ancestors.

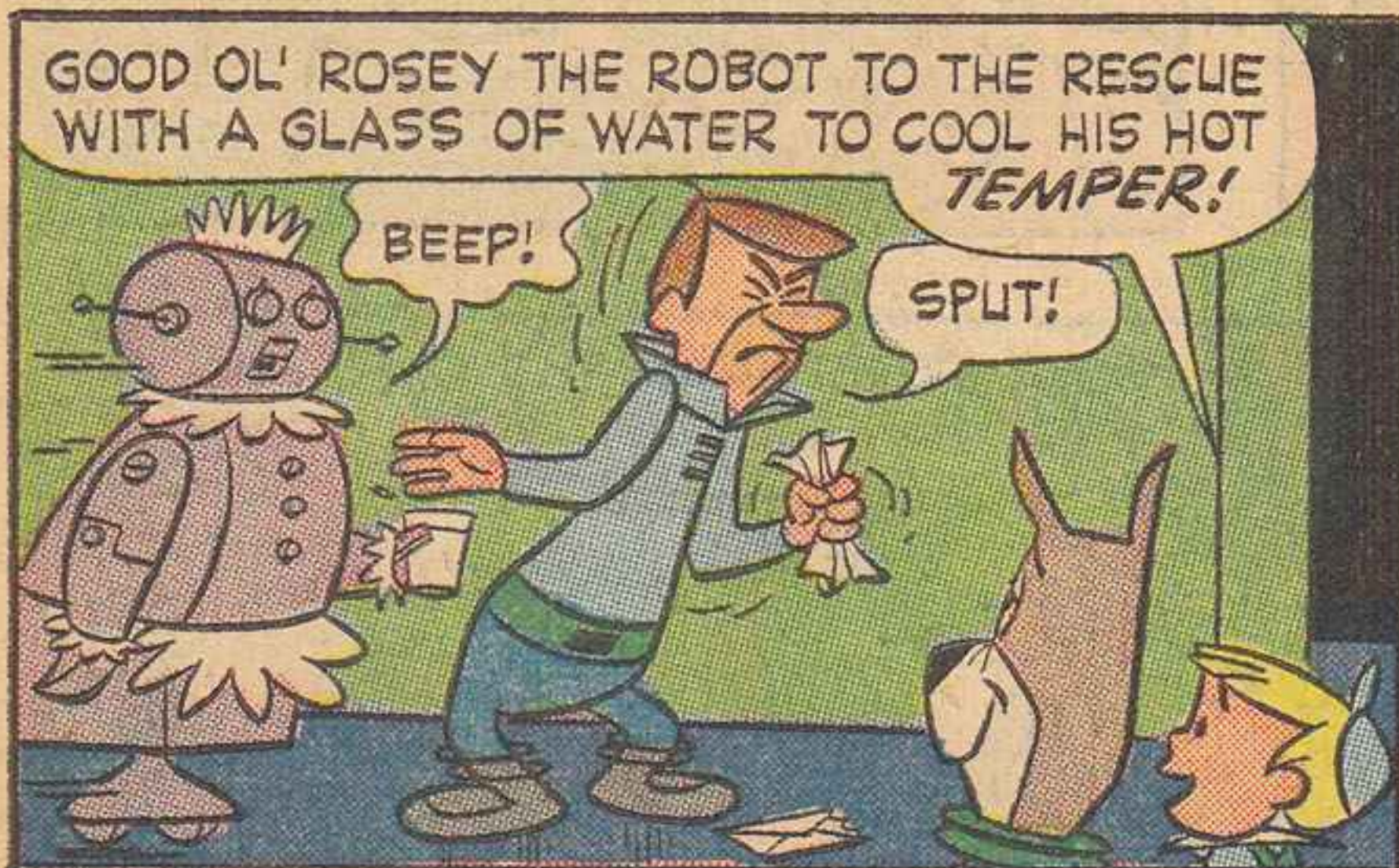
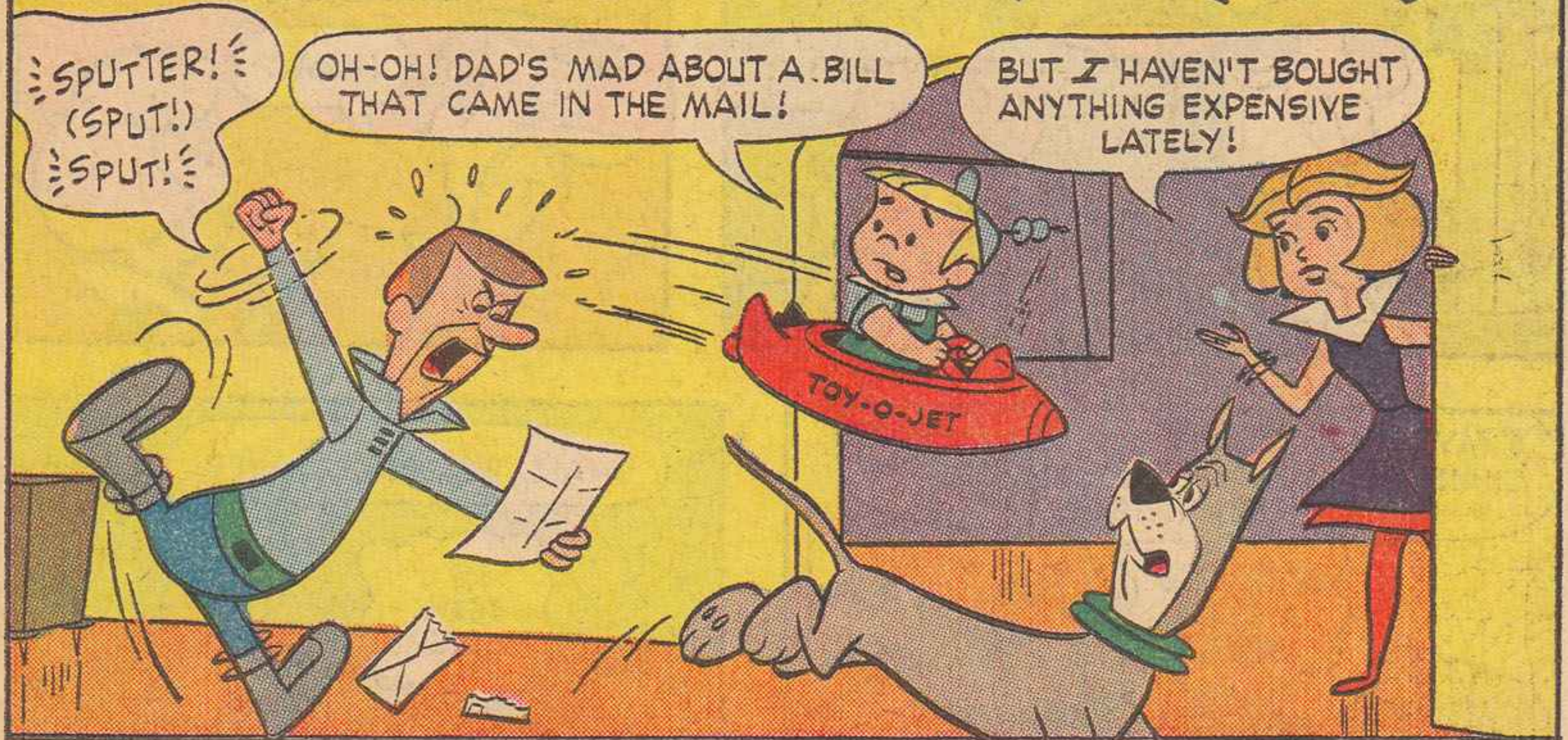


Plane-against-plane dogfights of World War I gave way to huge flying squadrons. Speeds were now up to four hundred miles per hour.

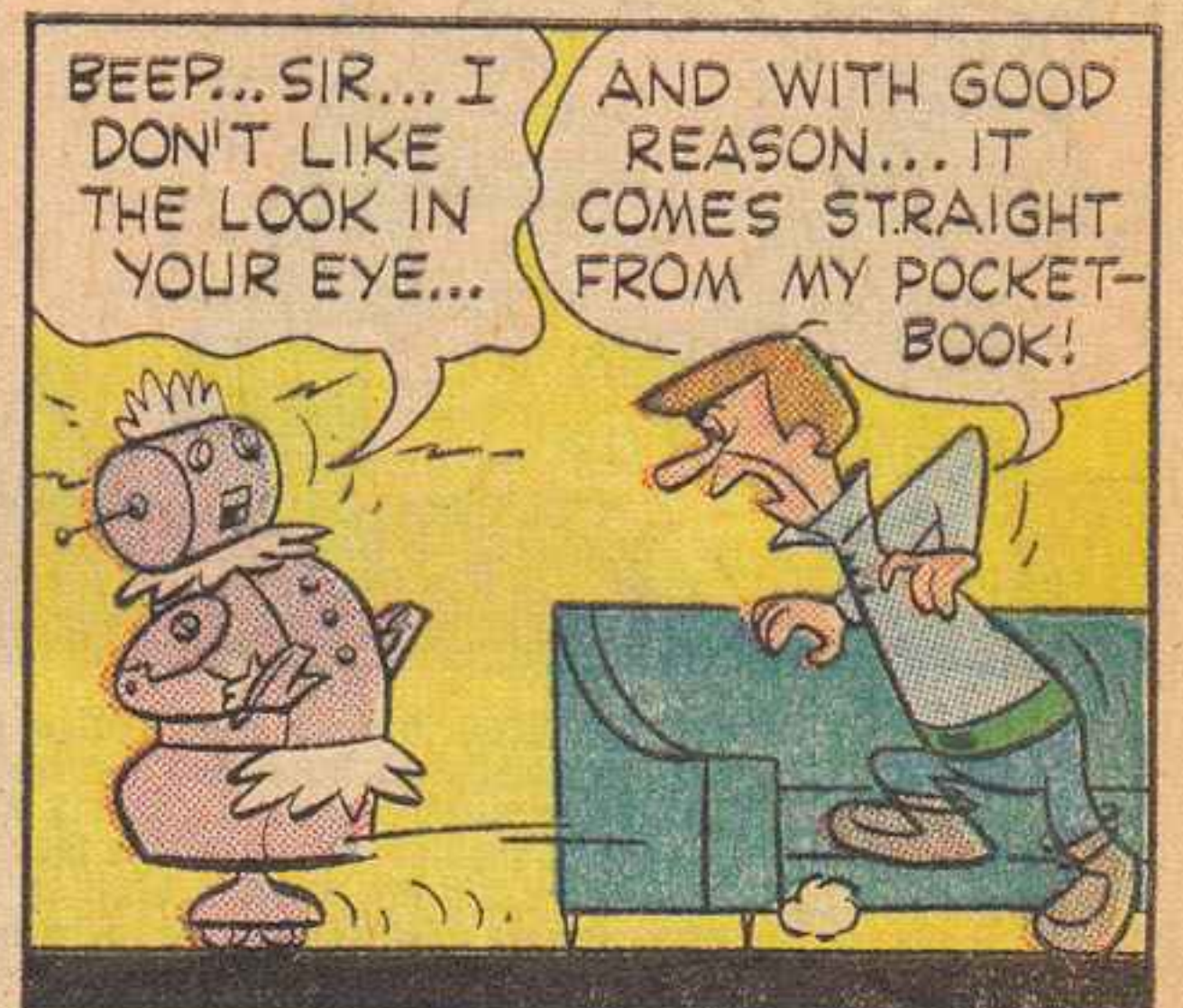
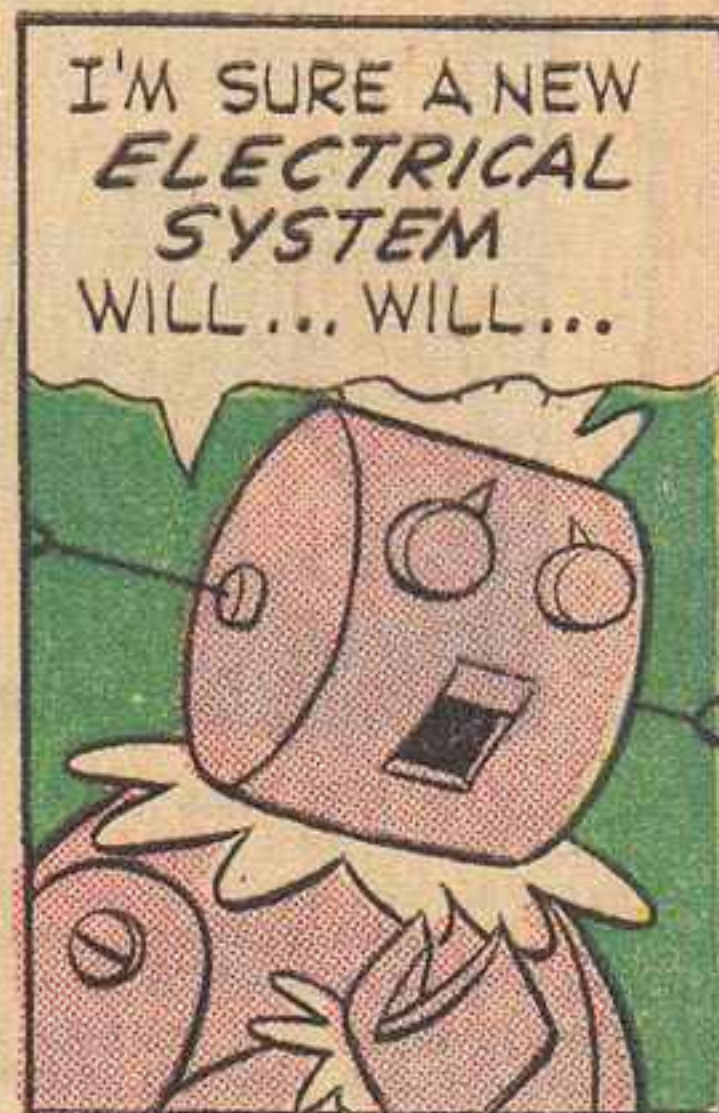
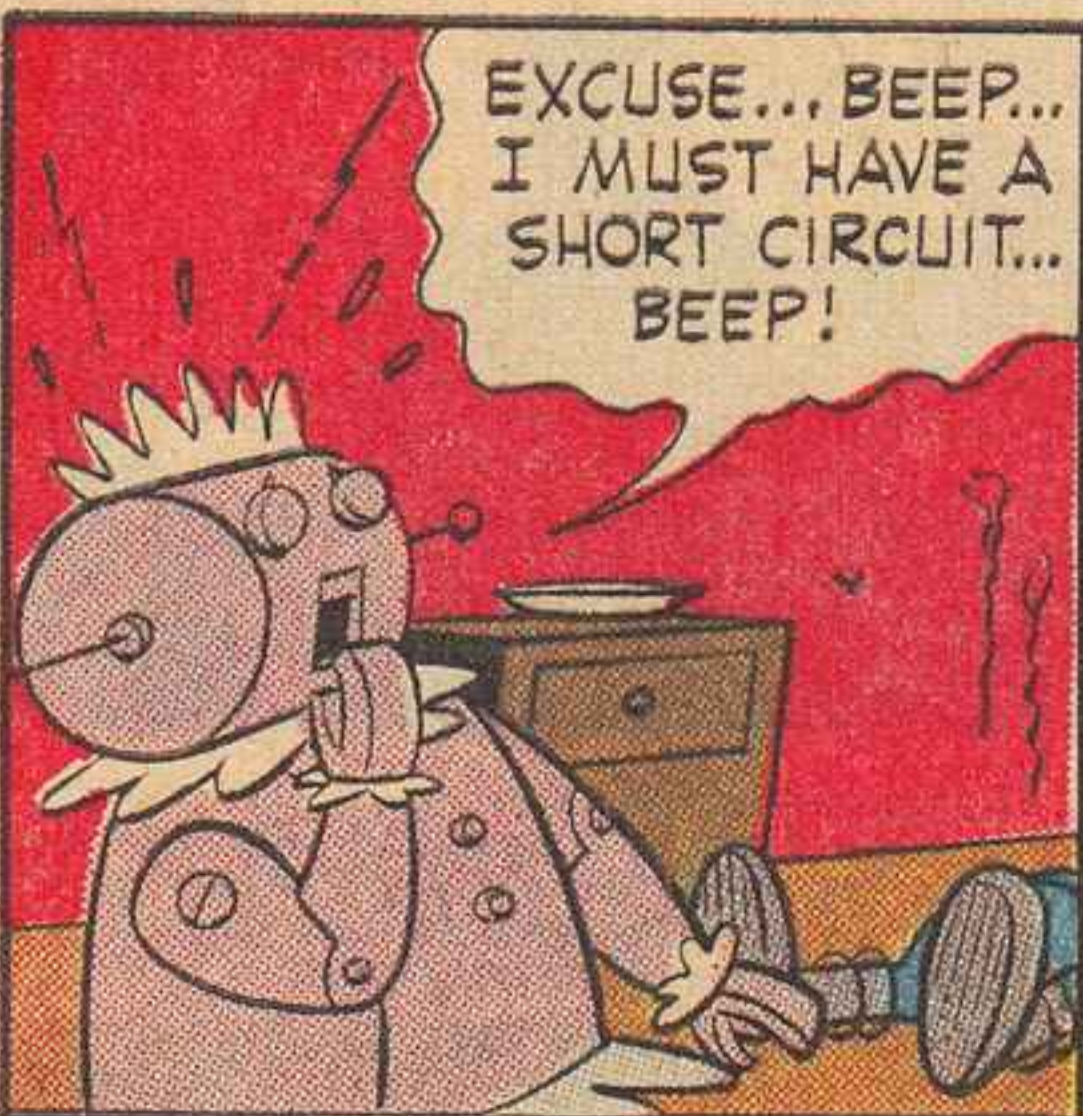
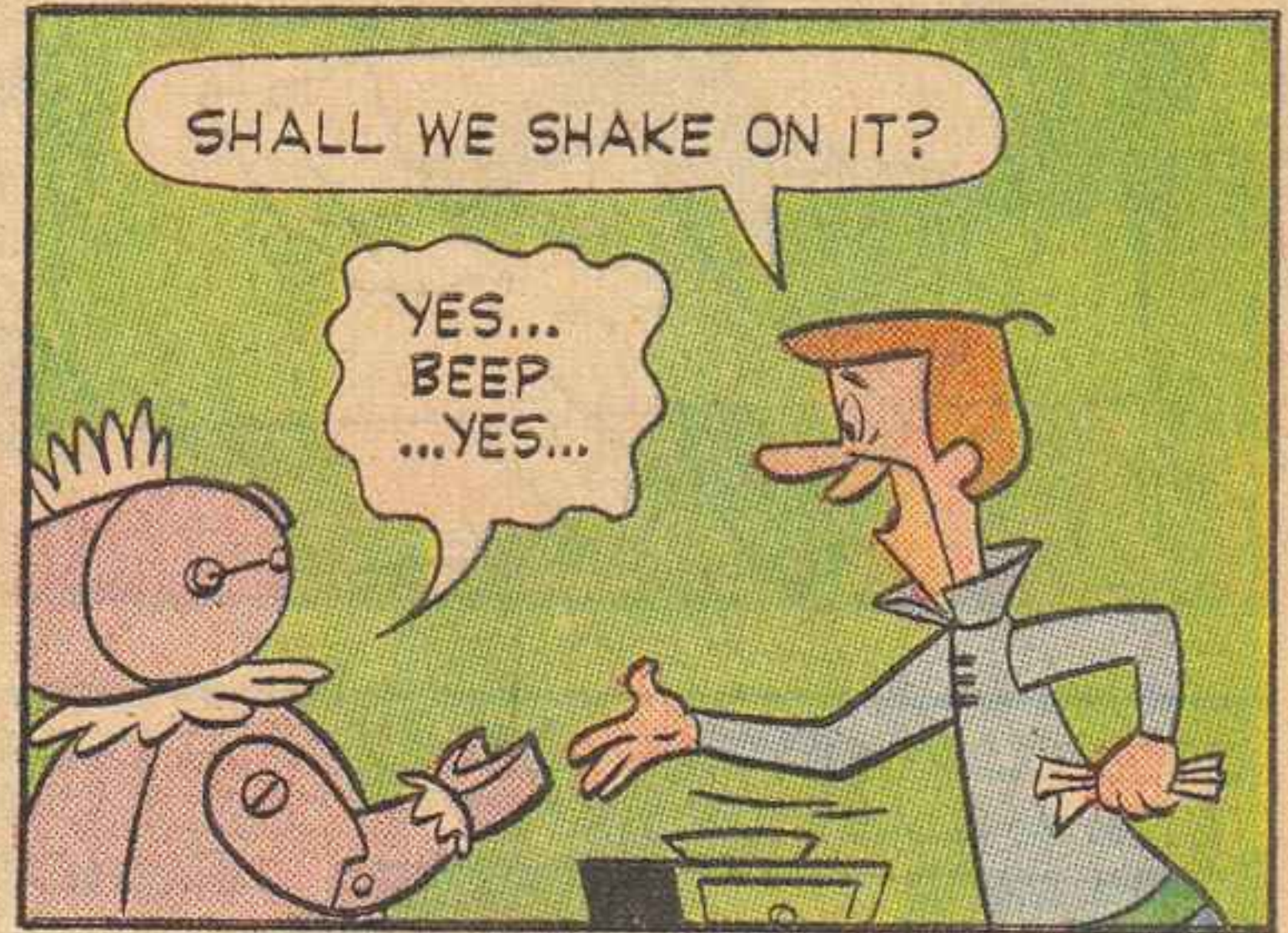
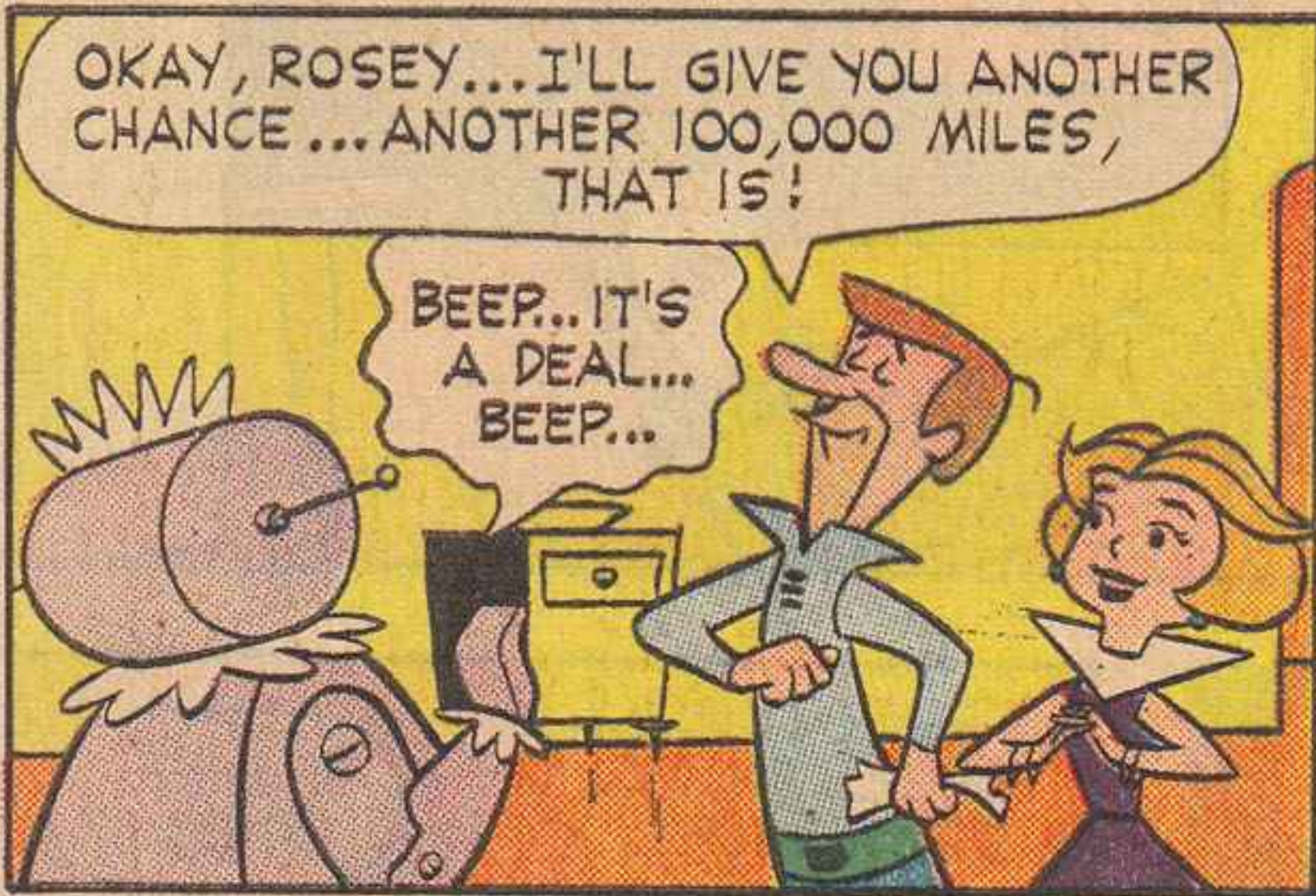


Helicopters had developed, too. Since they could hover or land where planes could not, their use in rescue work saved many lives.

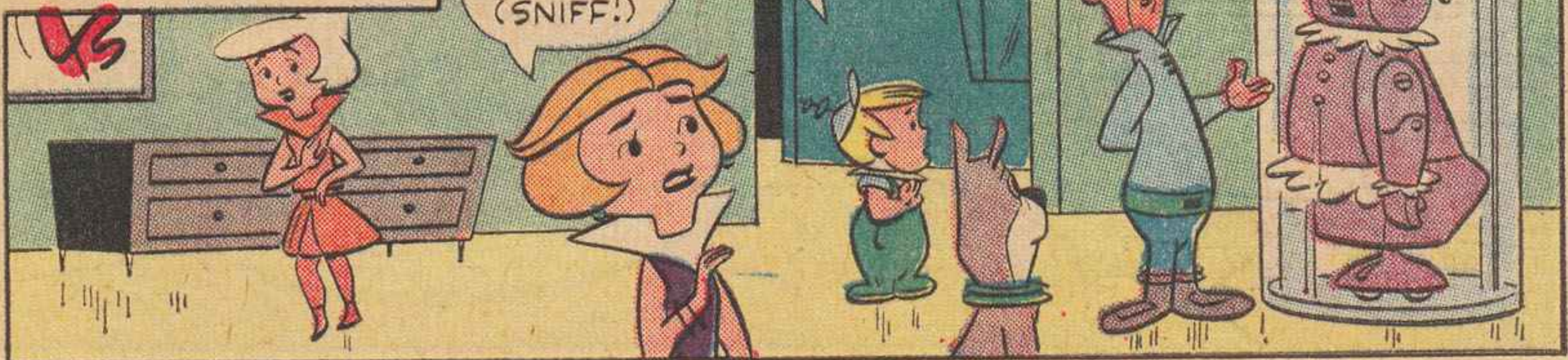
ROSEY'S REWARD



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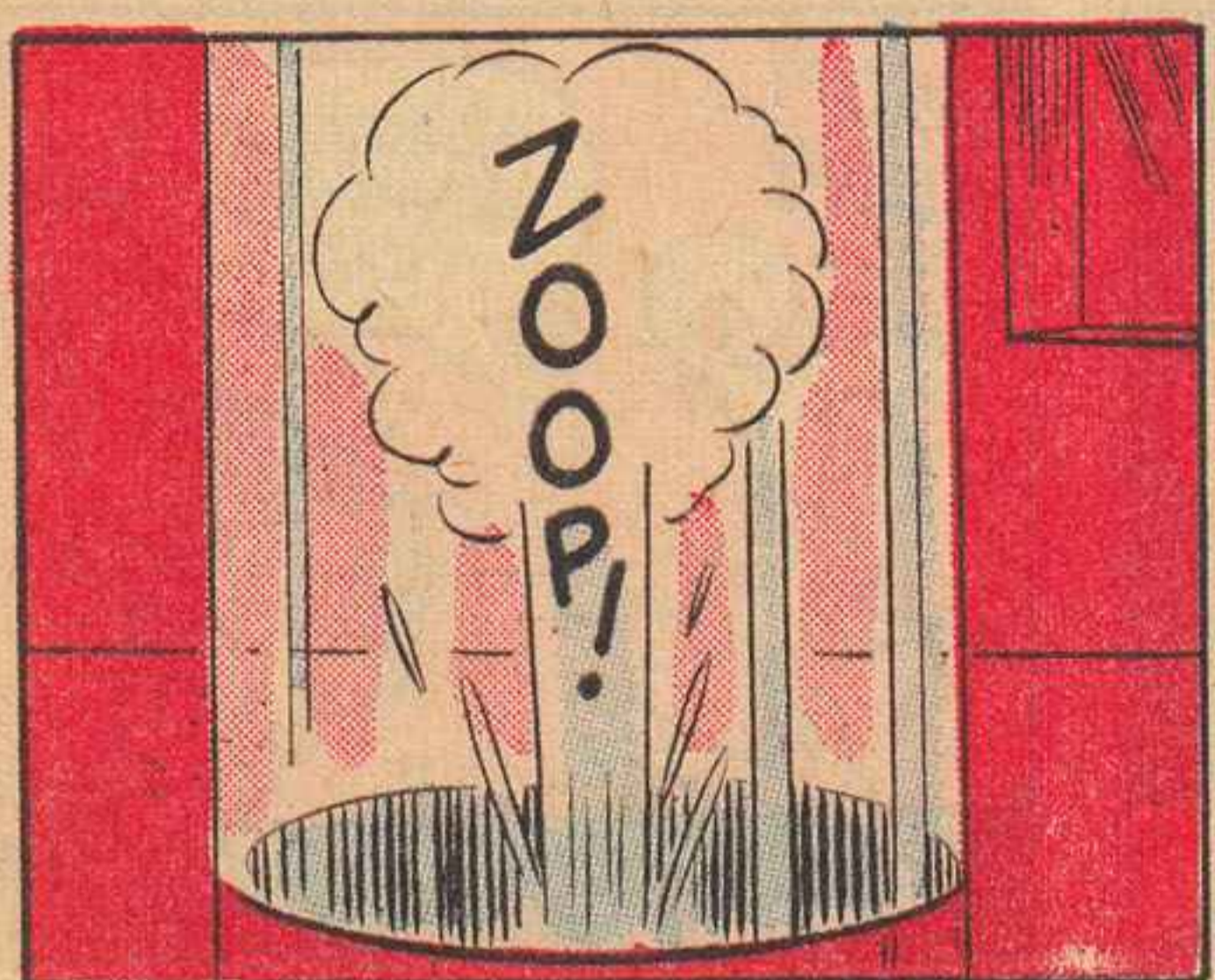


SORRY, BUT I HAVE TO CAN YOU, ROSEY!

GOOD-BY, ROSEY... (SNIFF!)

SO LONG!

GOOD-BEEP-BY...FOLKS!

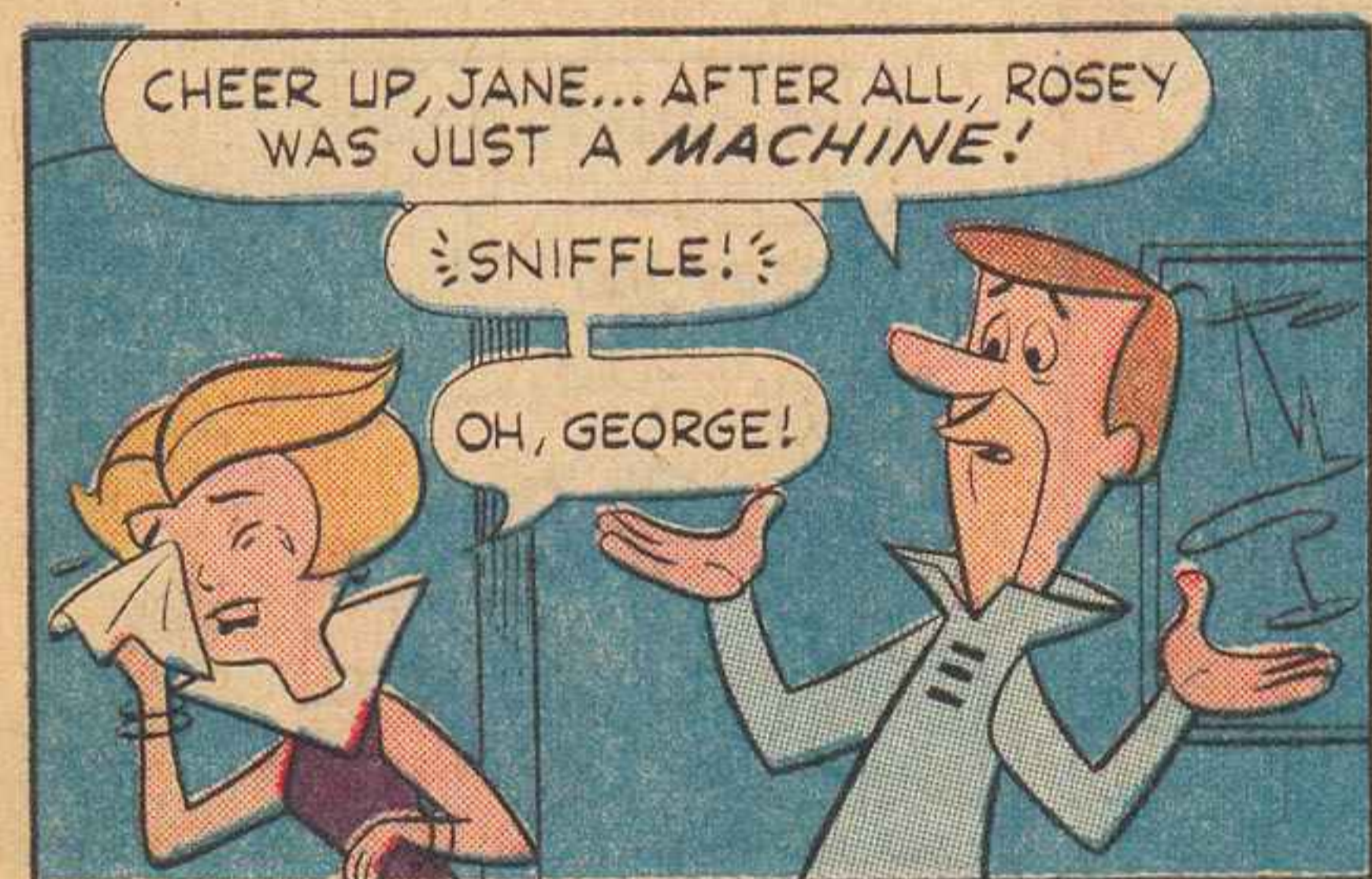


ZOOOP!



SO, ROSEY IS CANNED!

CRASH!



CHEER UP, JANE... AFTER ALL, ROSEY WAS JUST A MACHINE!

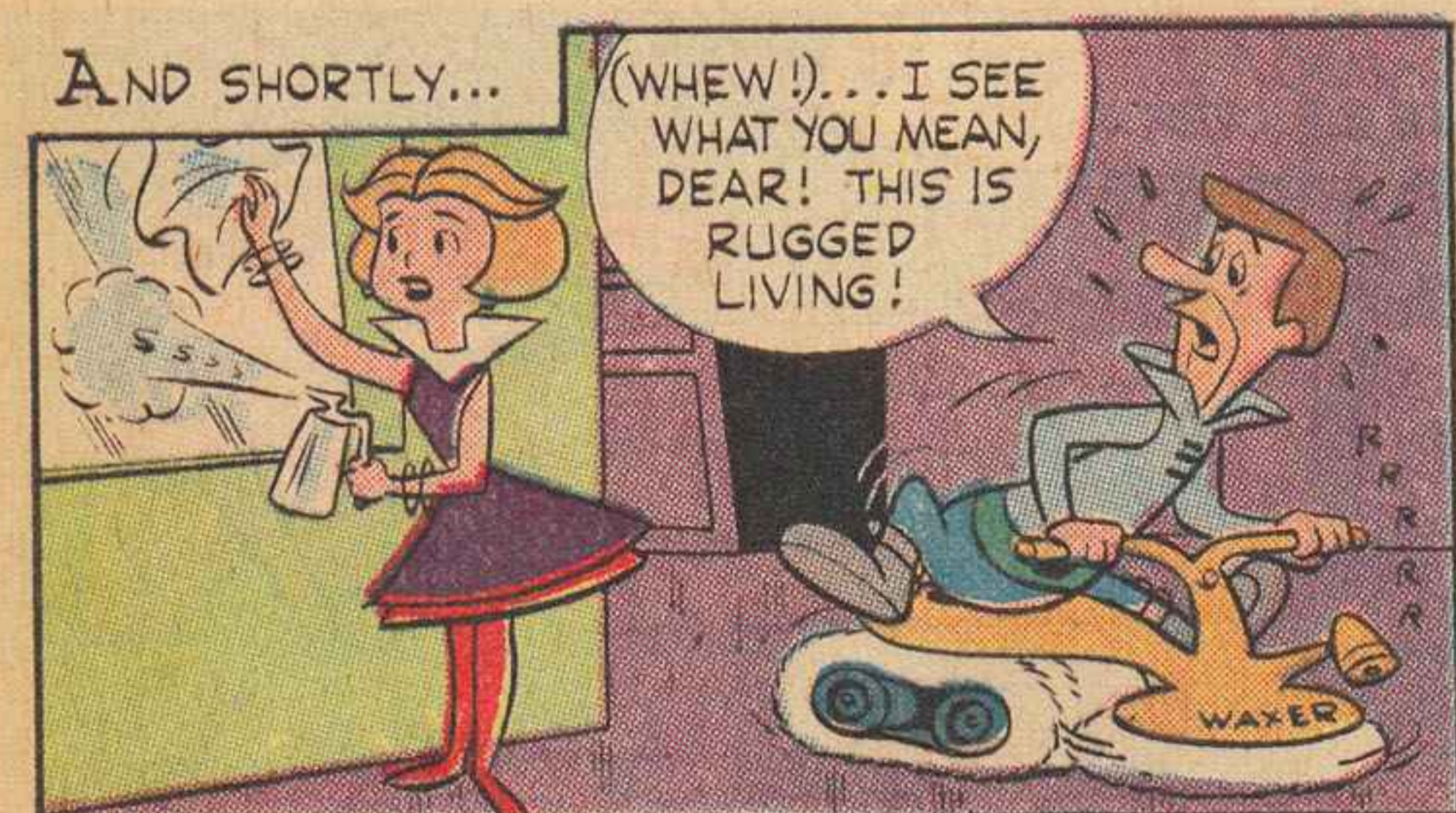
SNIFFLE!

OH, GEORGE!



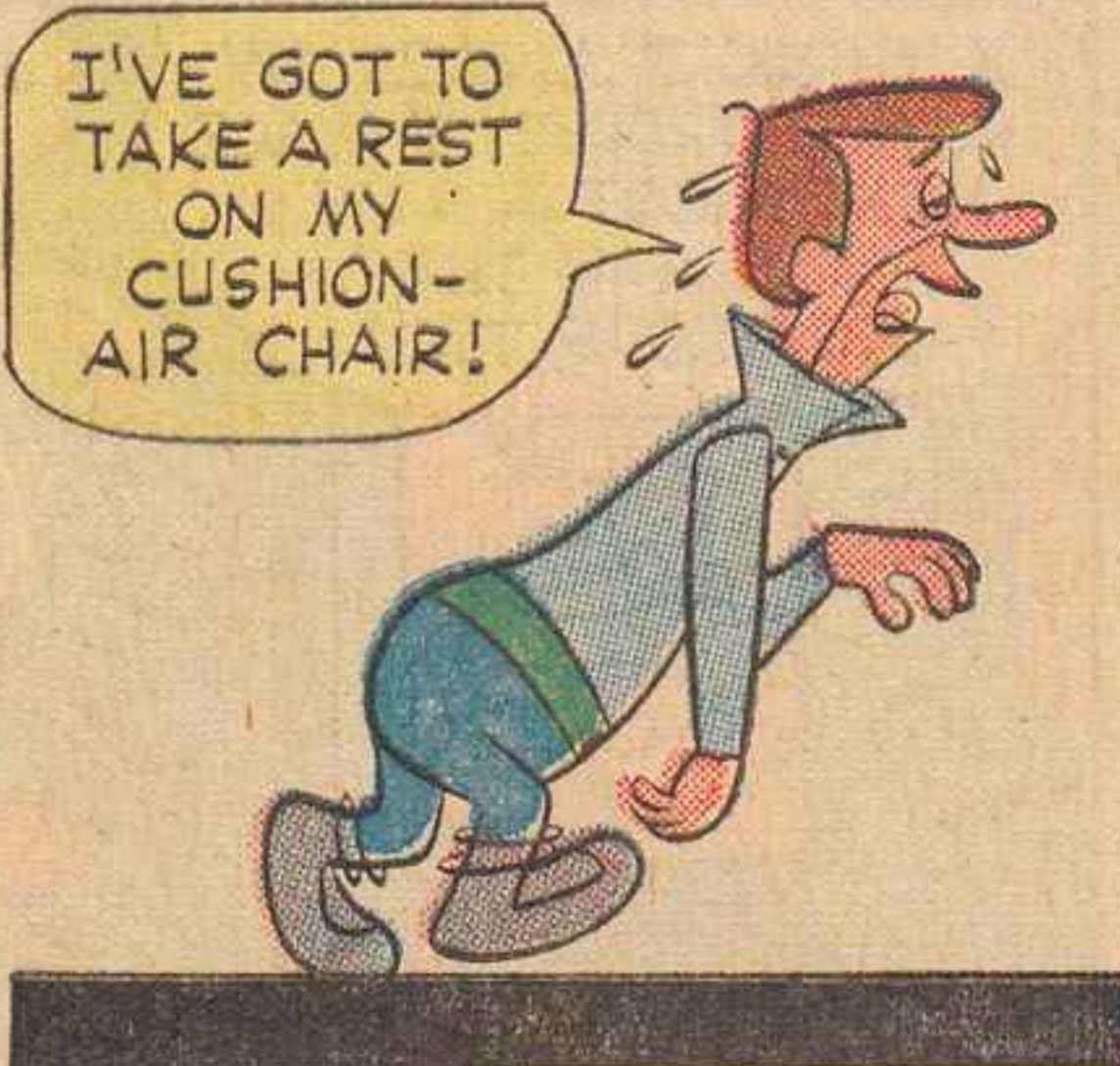
I'M CRYING BECAUSE OF ALL THE WORK I'LL HAVE TO DO NOW!

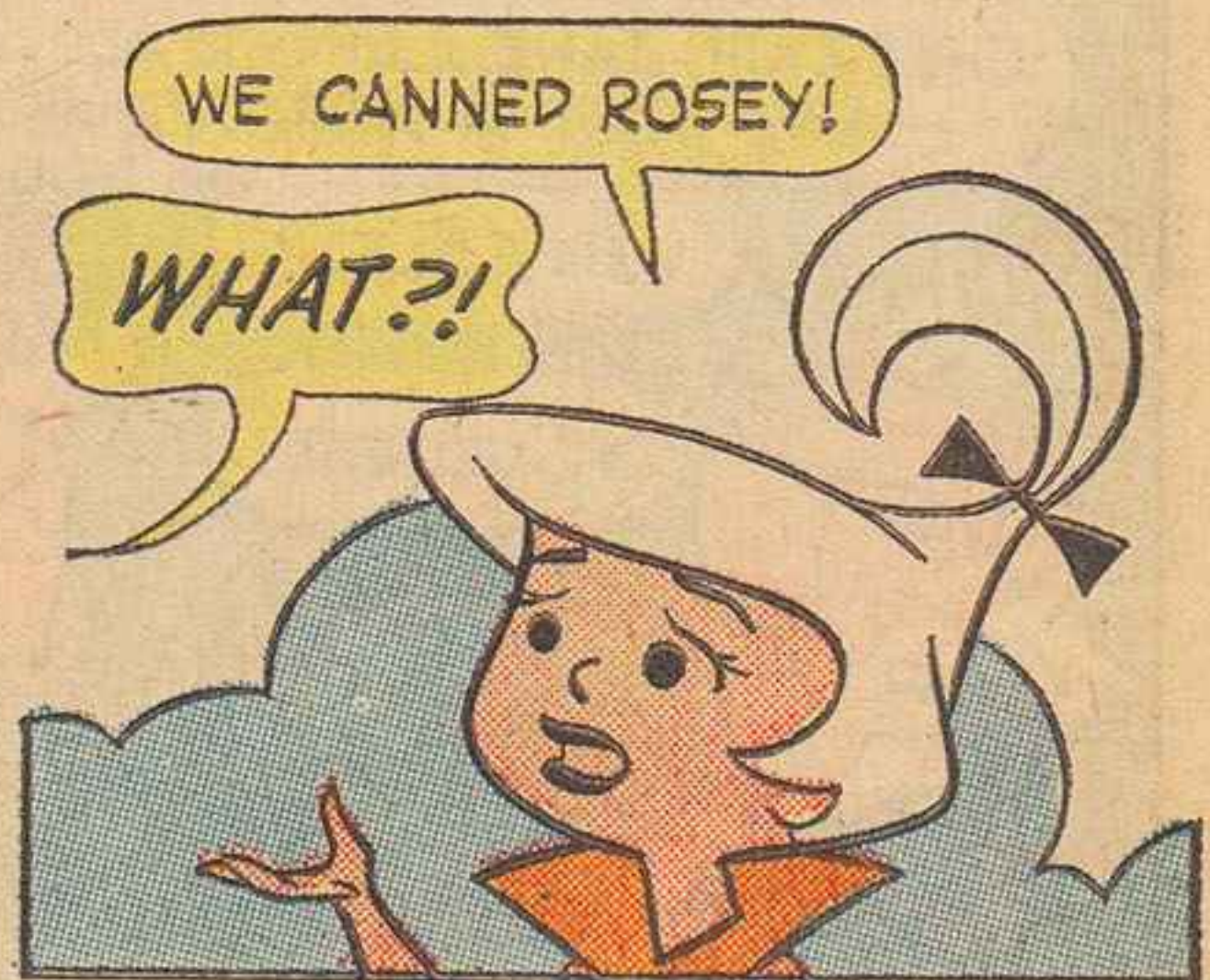
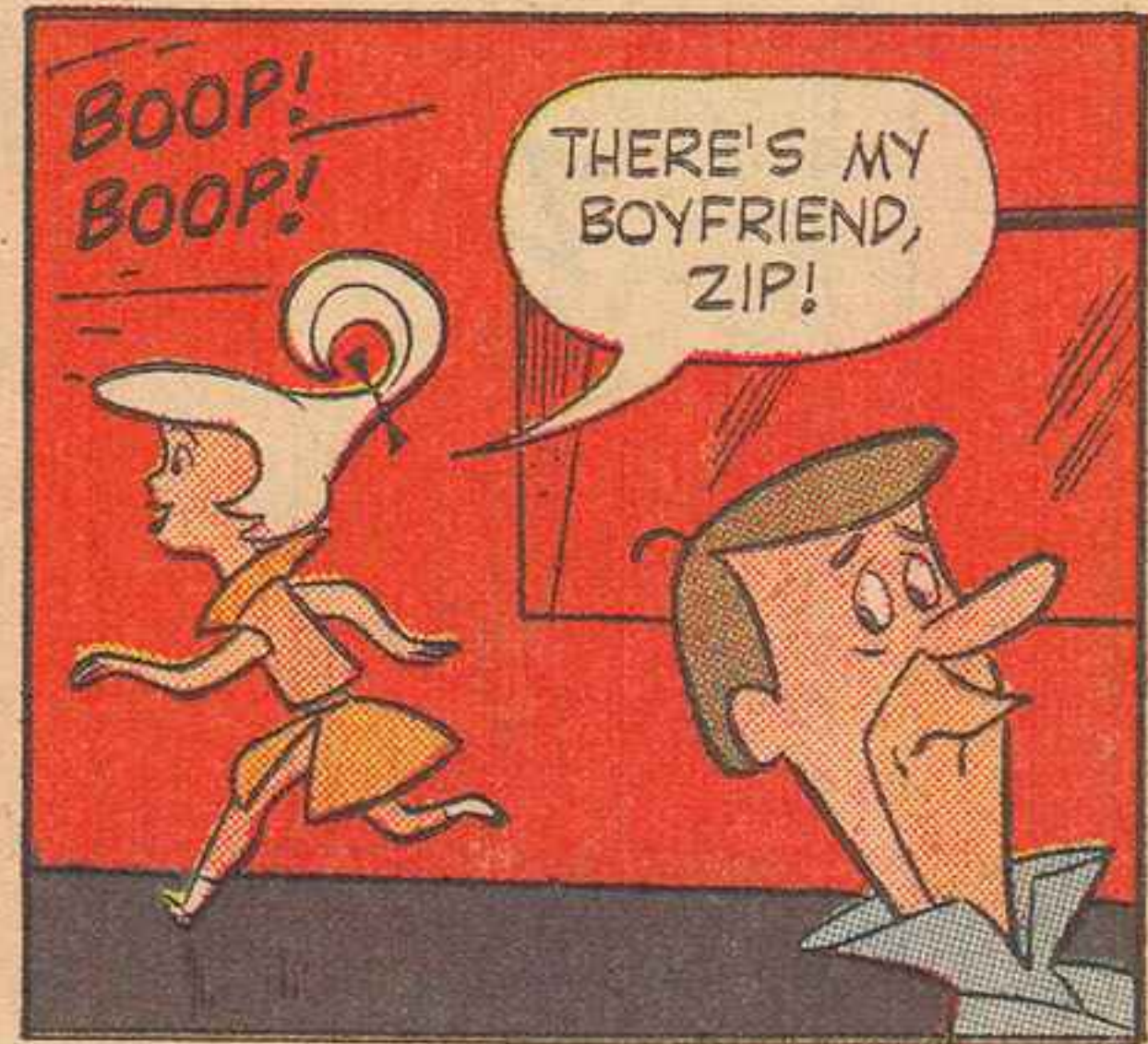
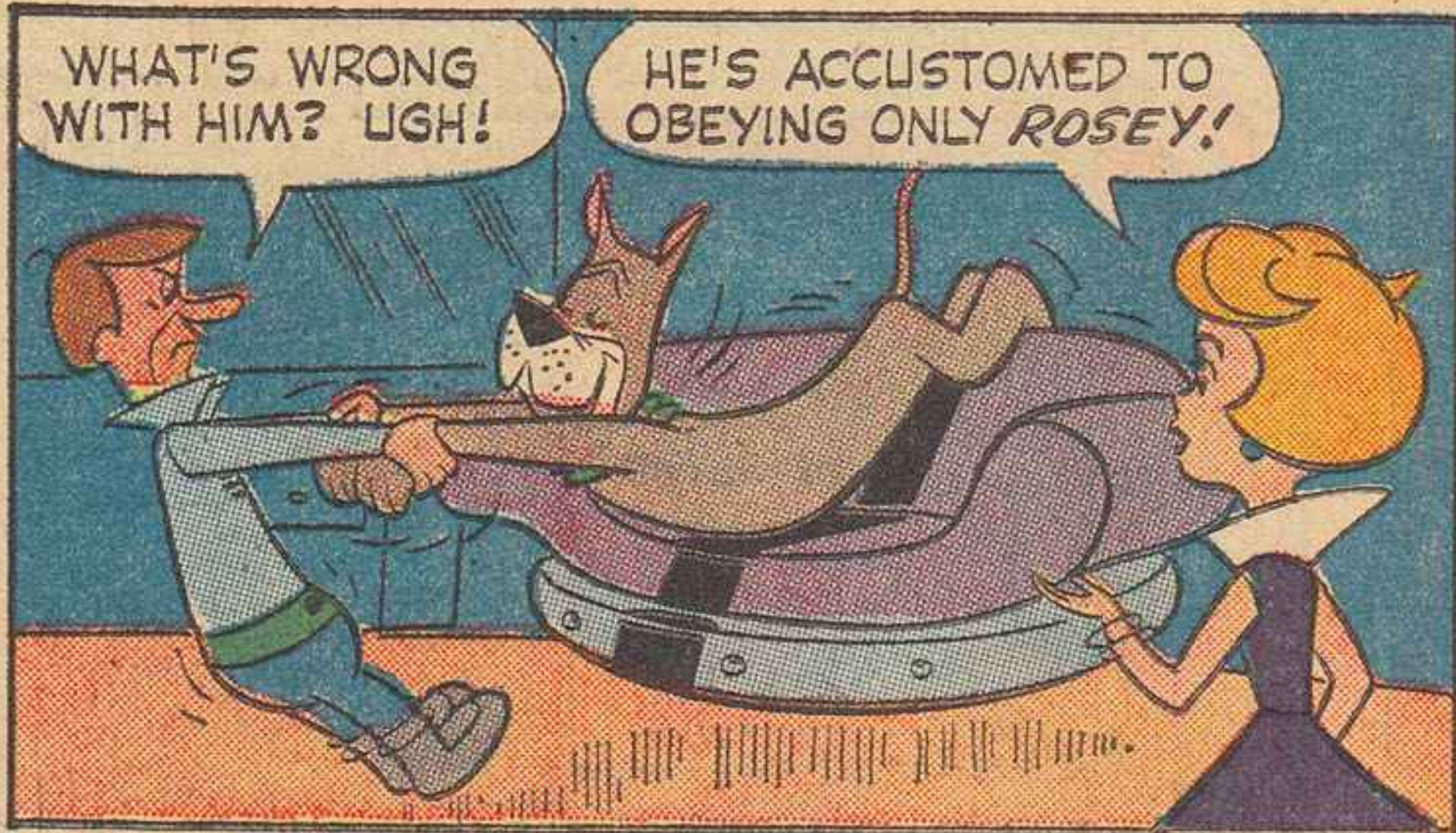
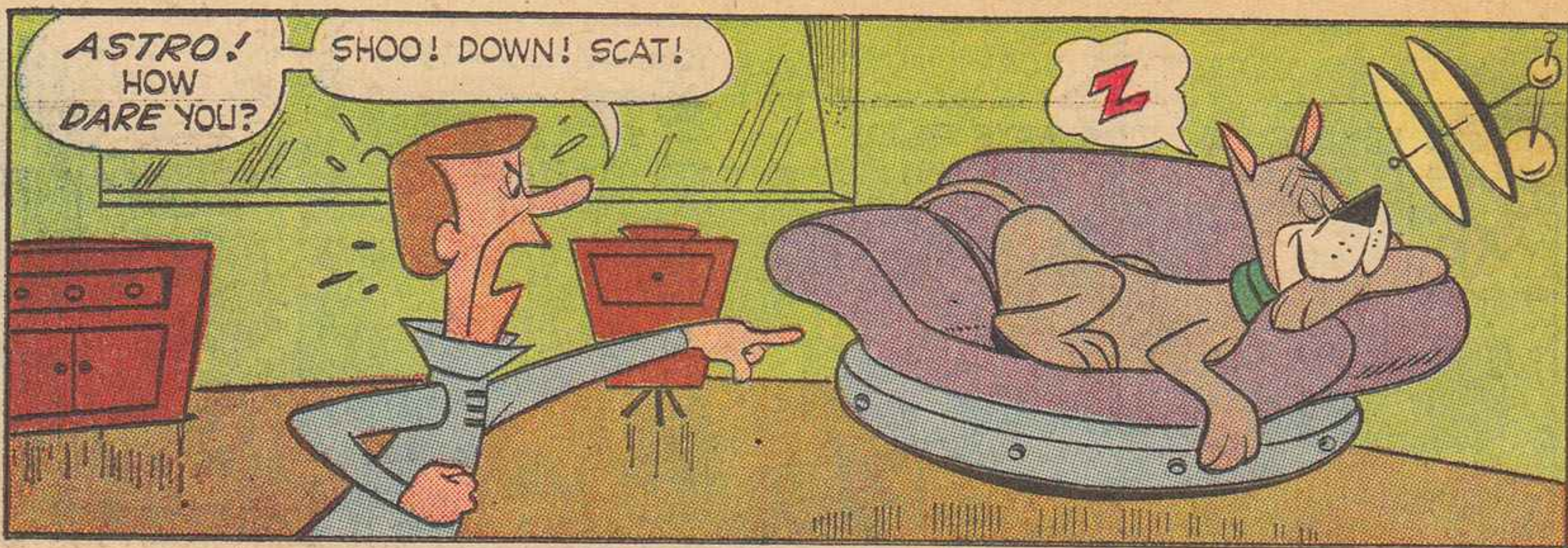
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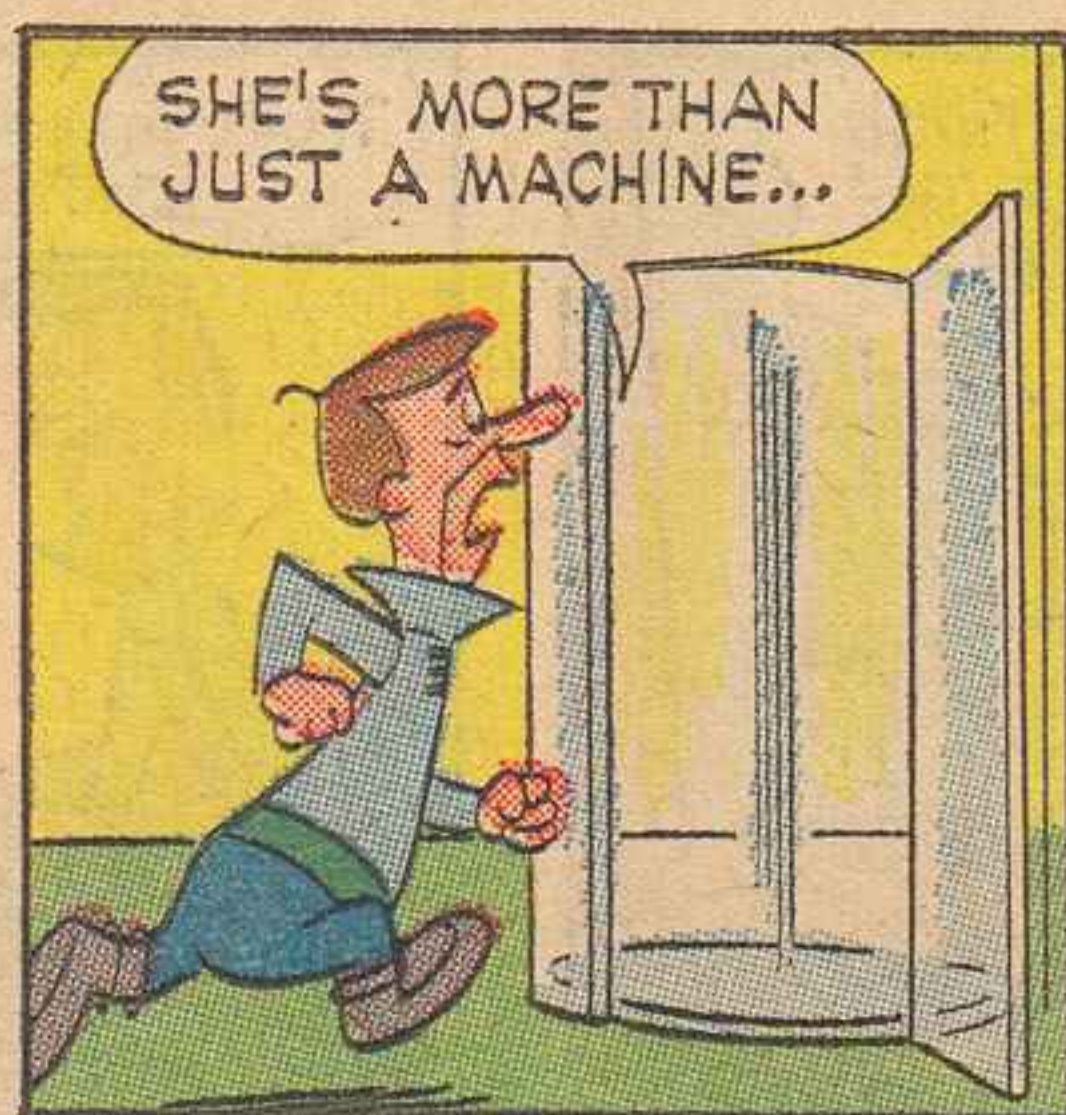
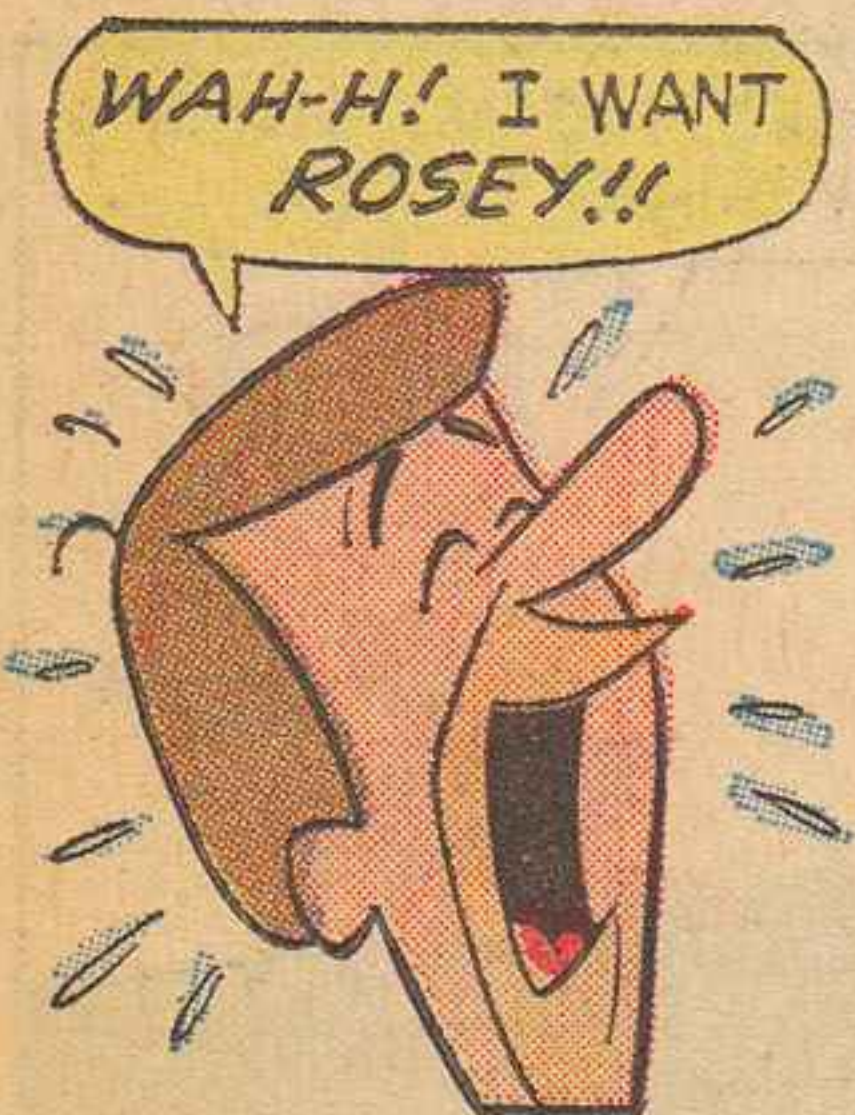
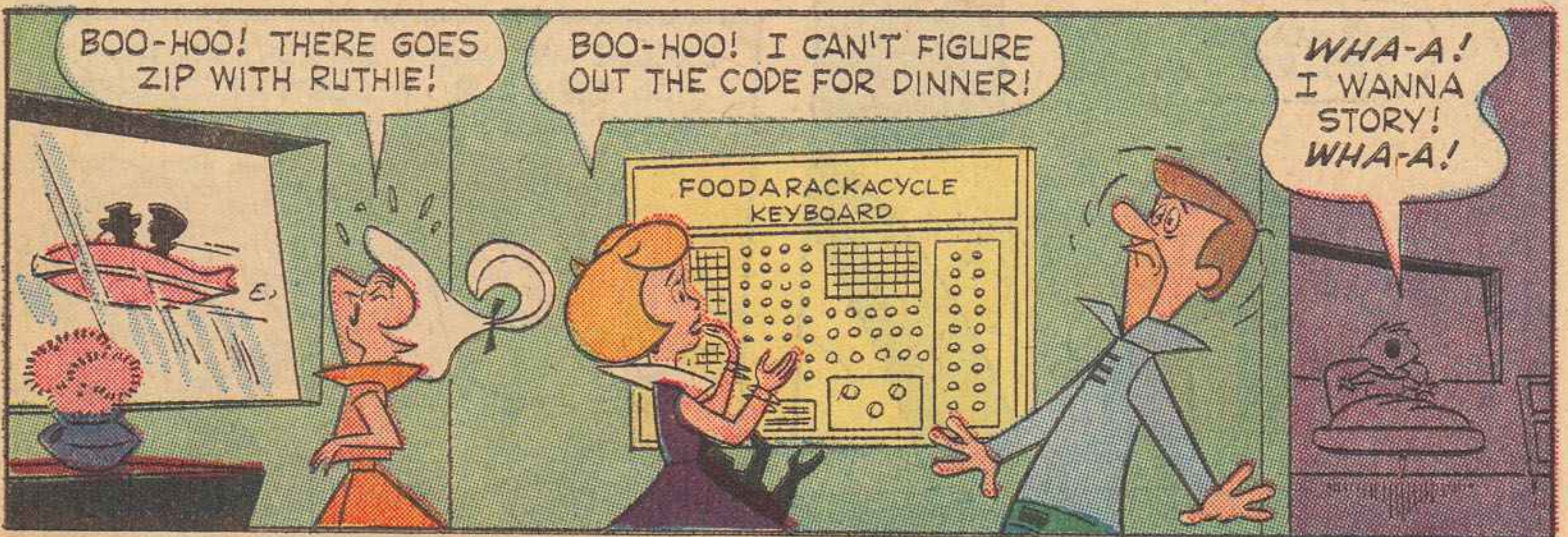
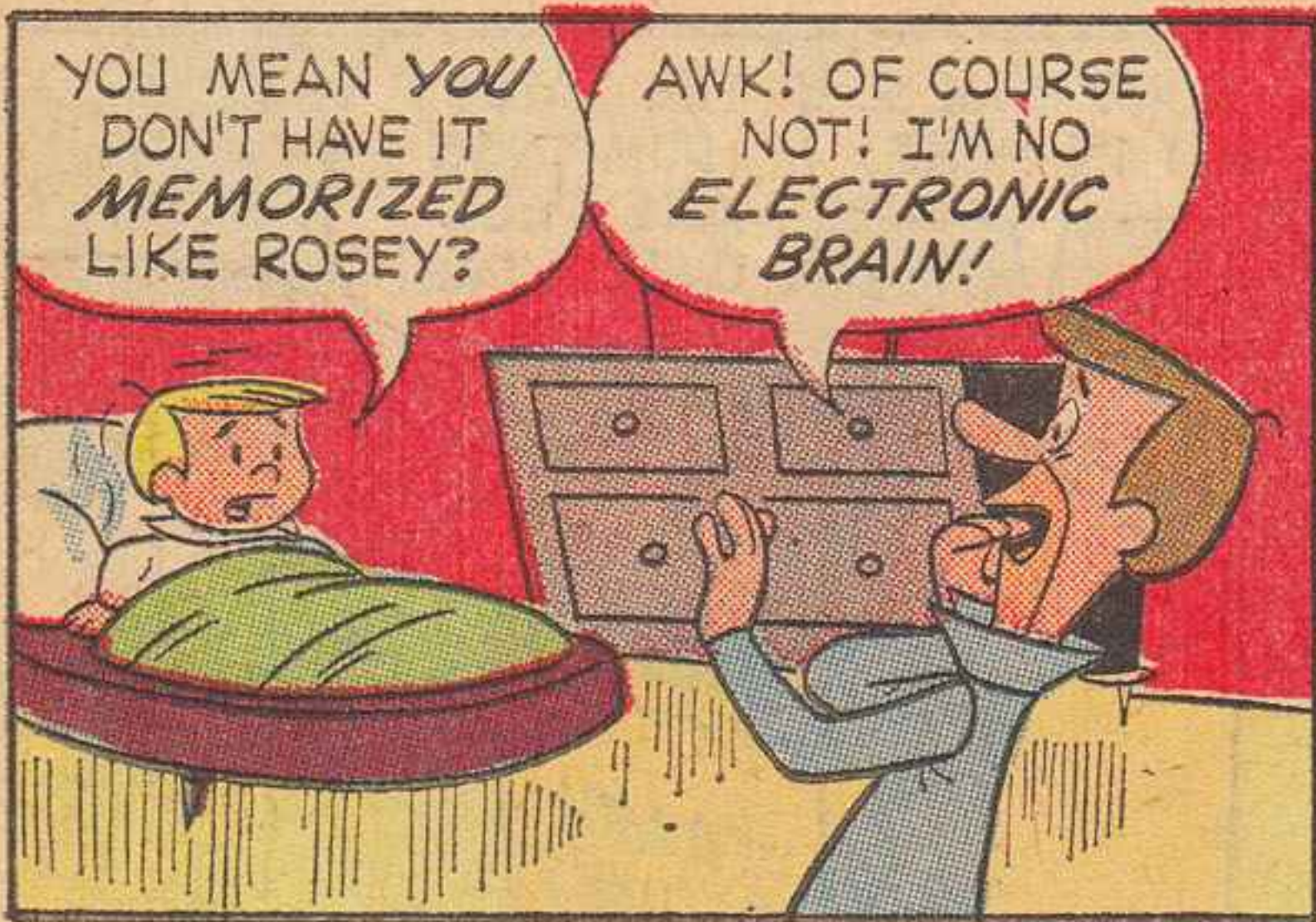


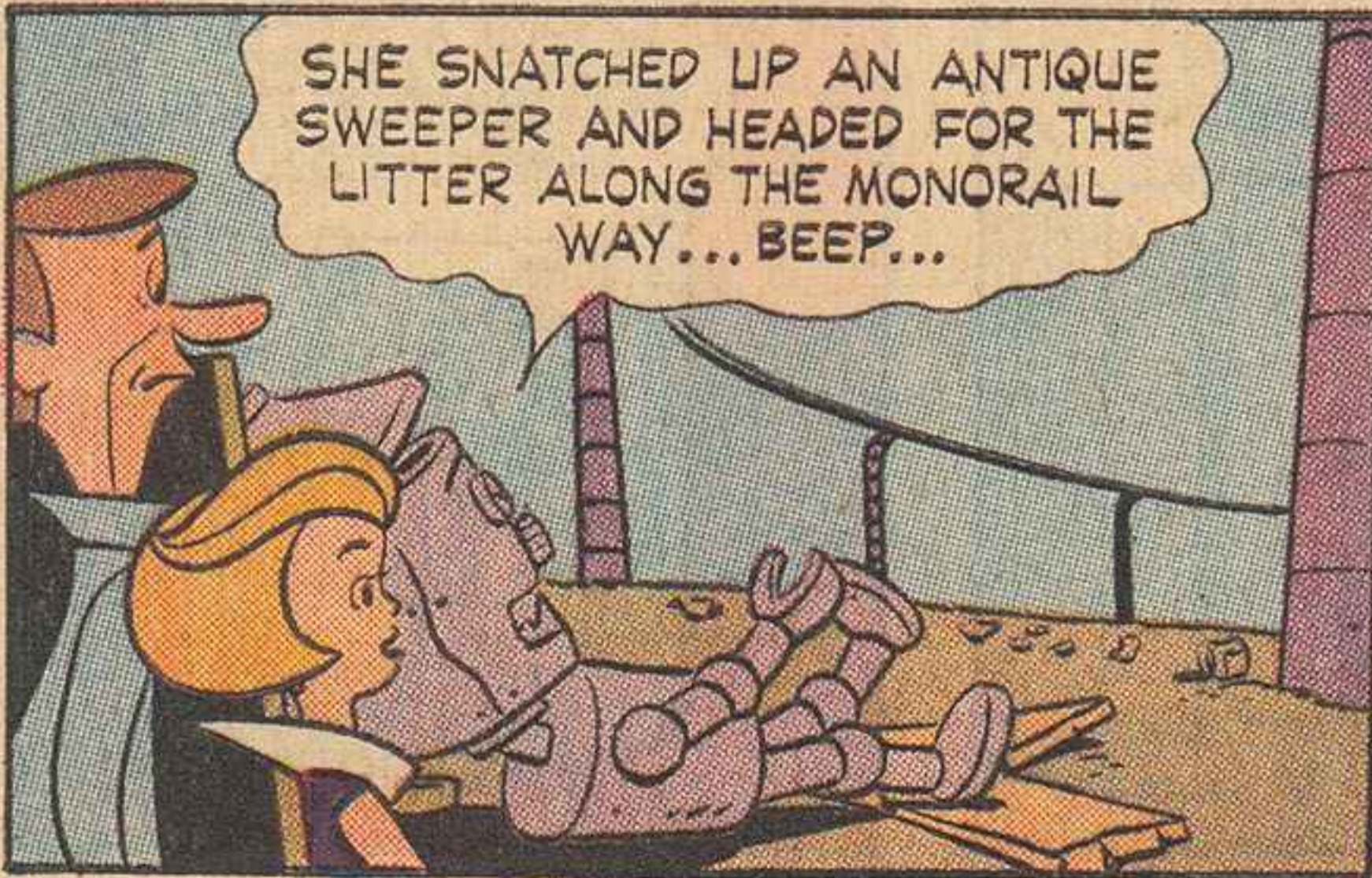
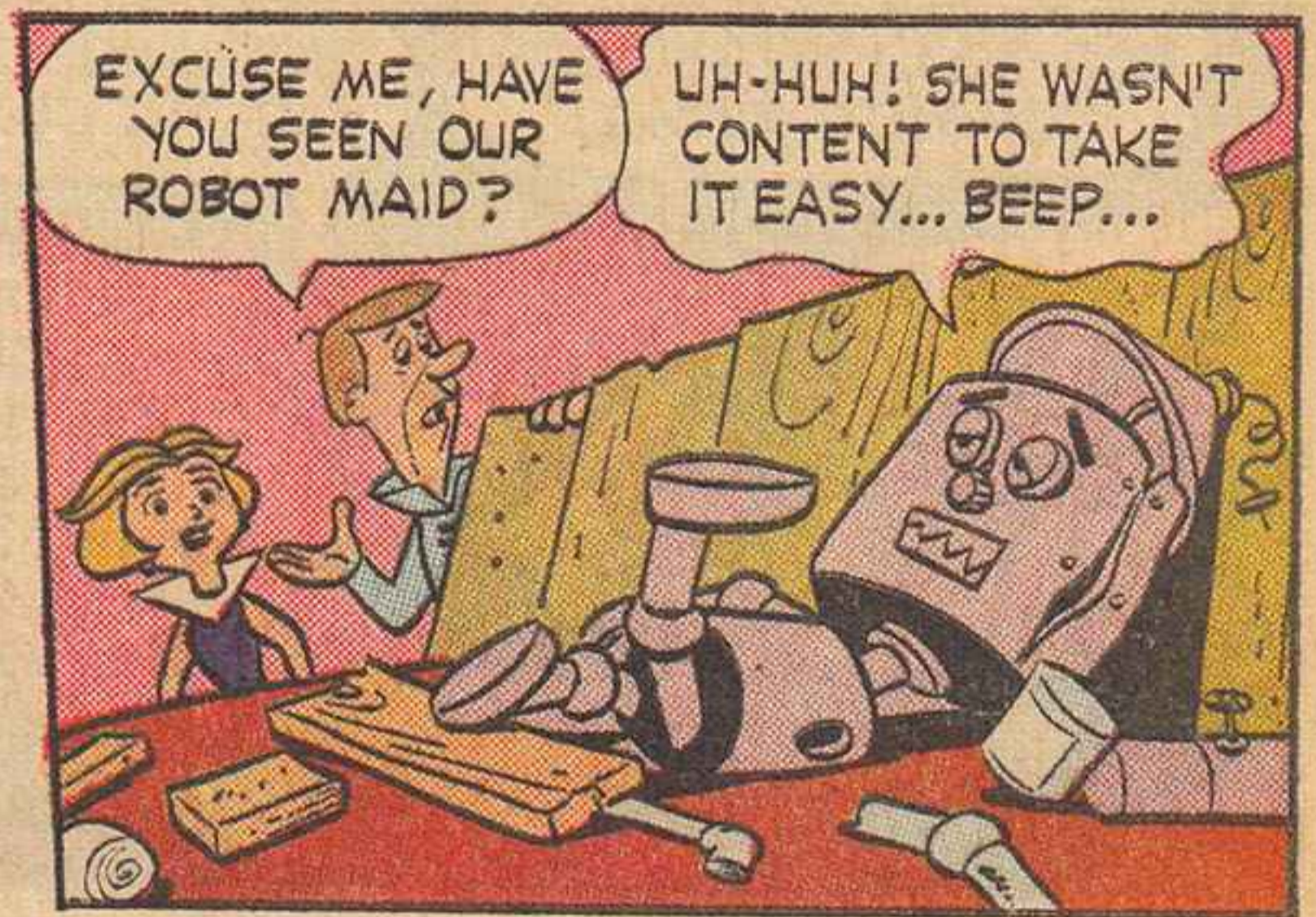
(WHEW!)... I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN, DEAR! THIS IS RUGGED LIVING!

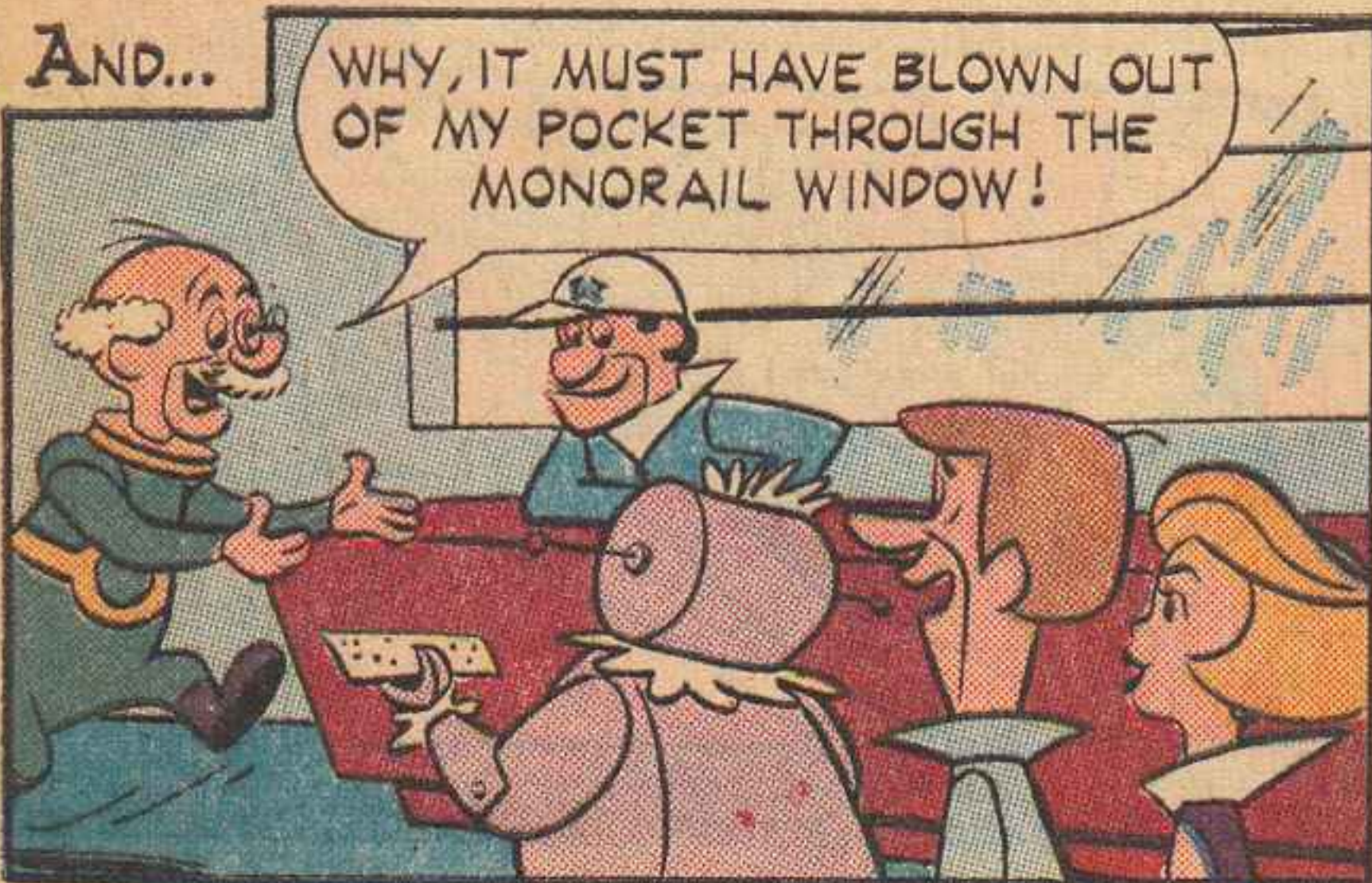
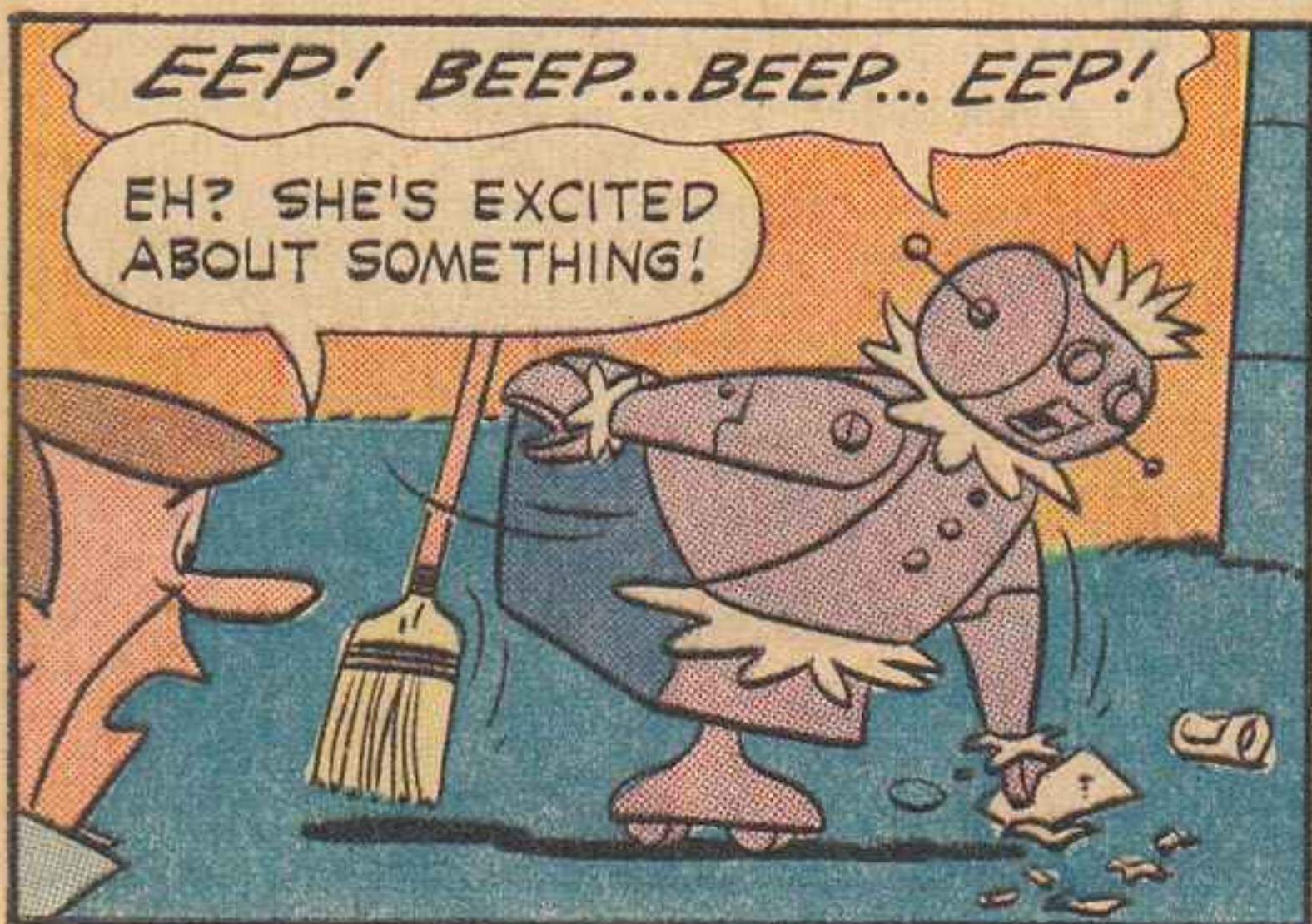
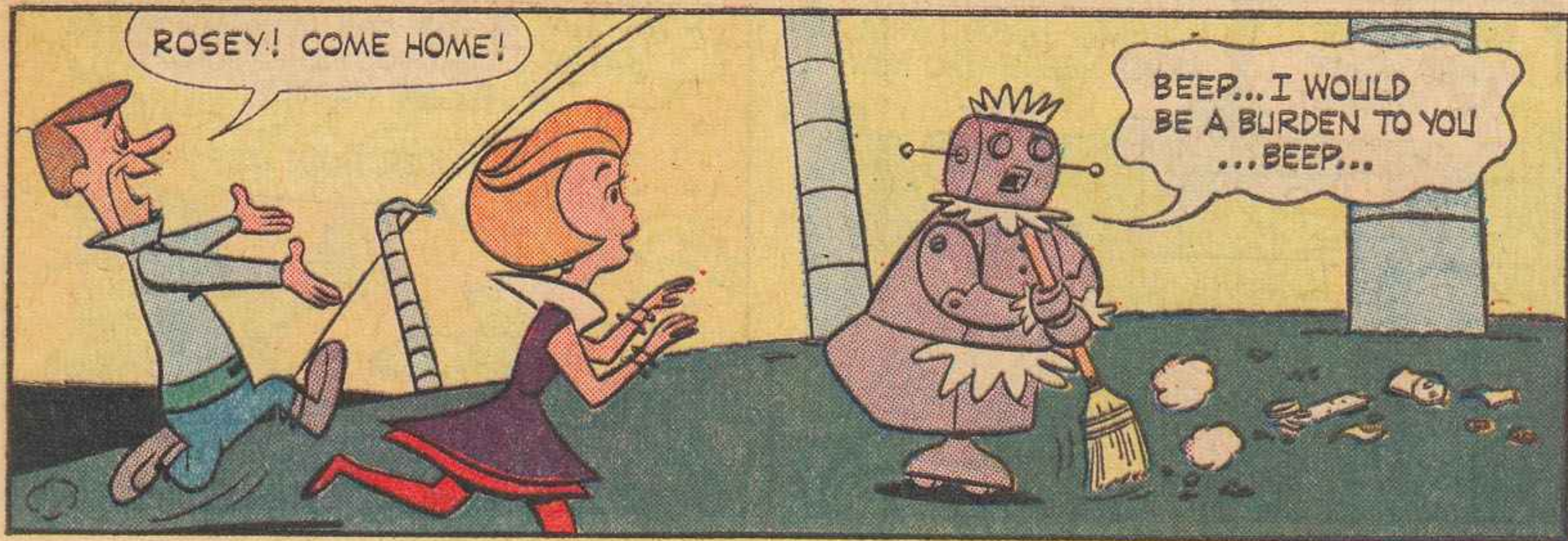
I'VE GOT TO TAKE A REST ON MY CUSHION-AIR CHAIR!

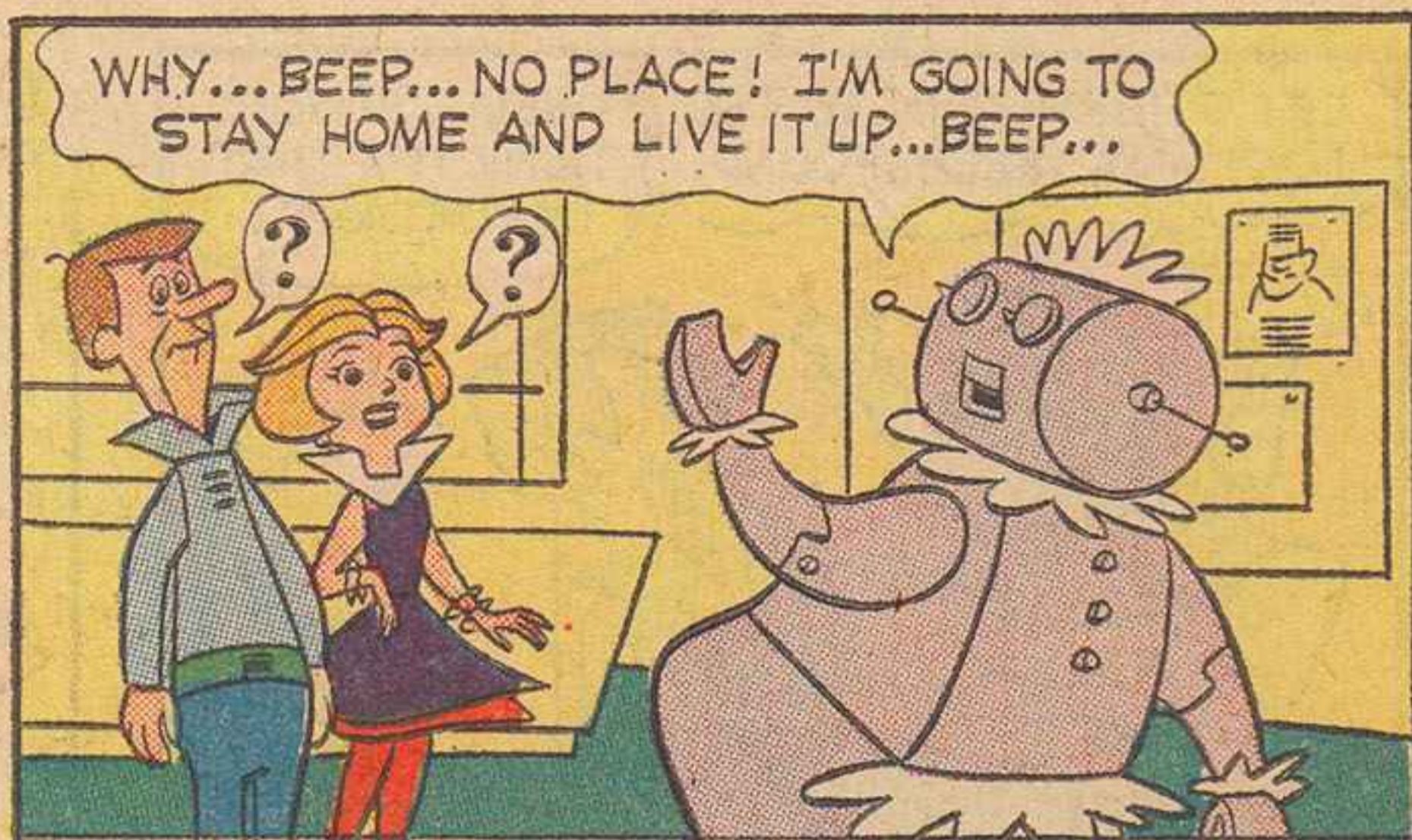
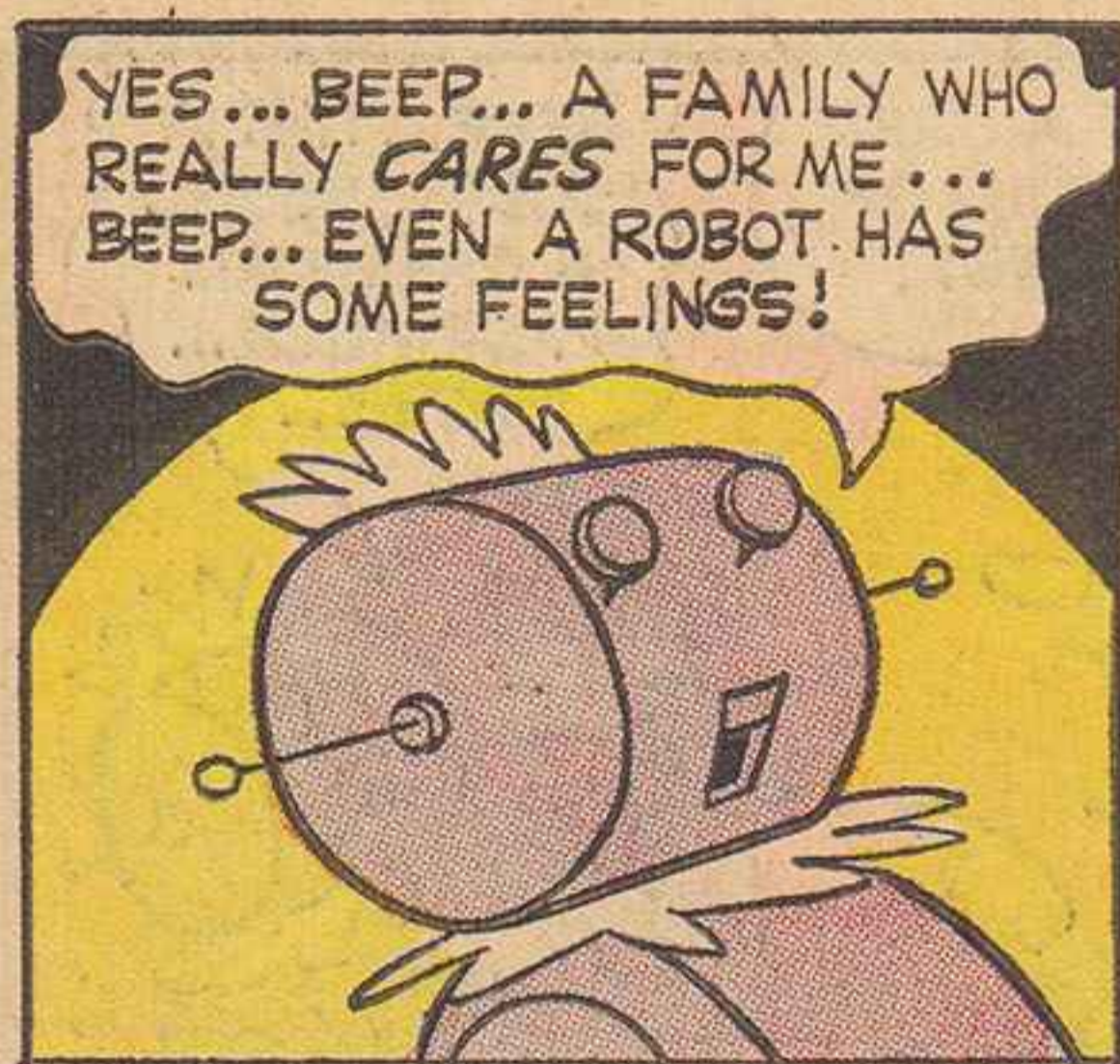
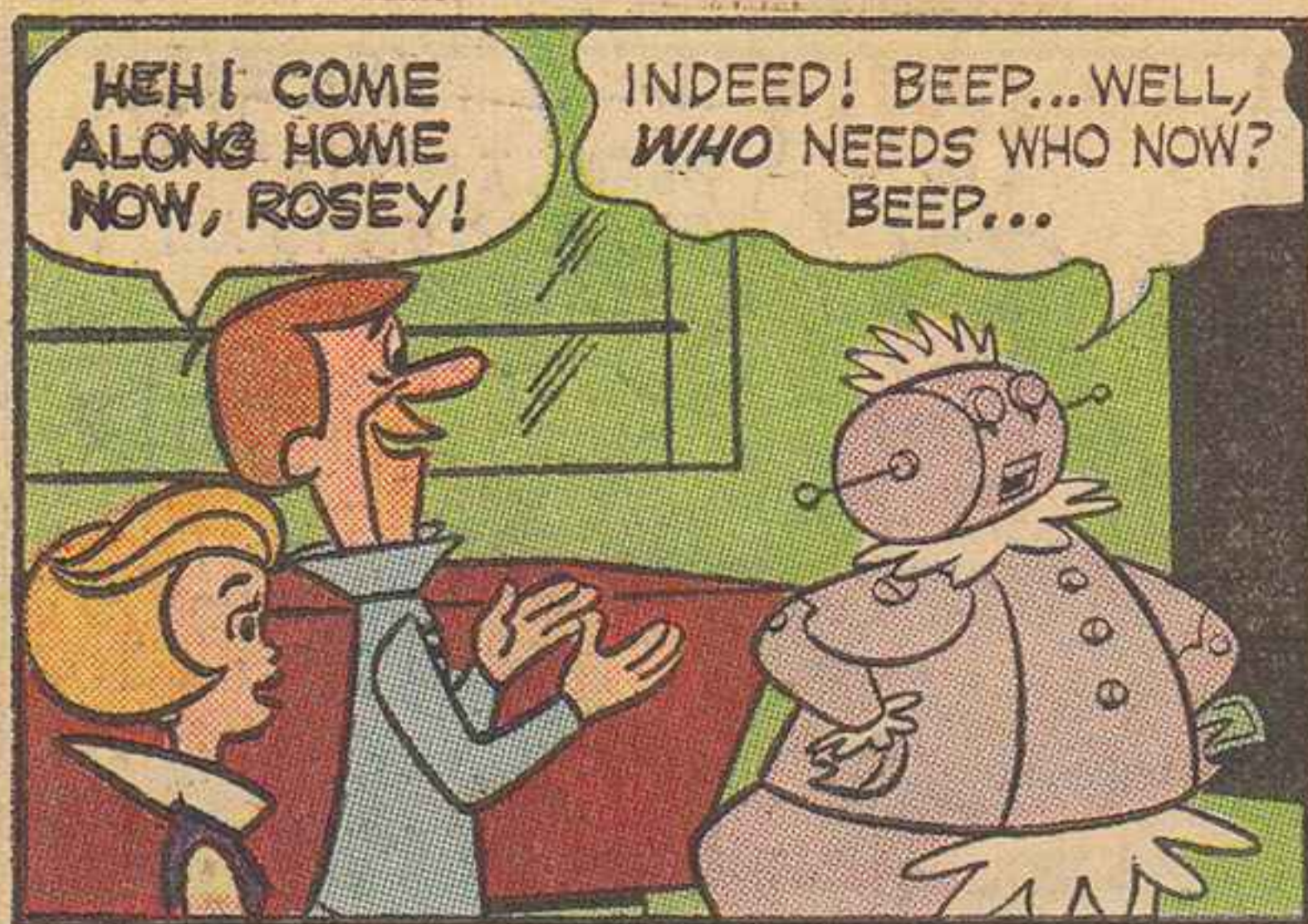












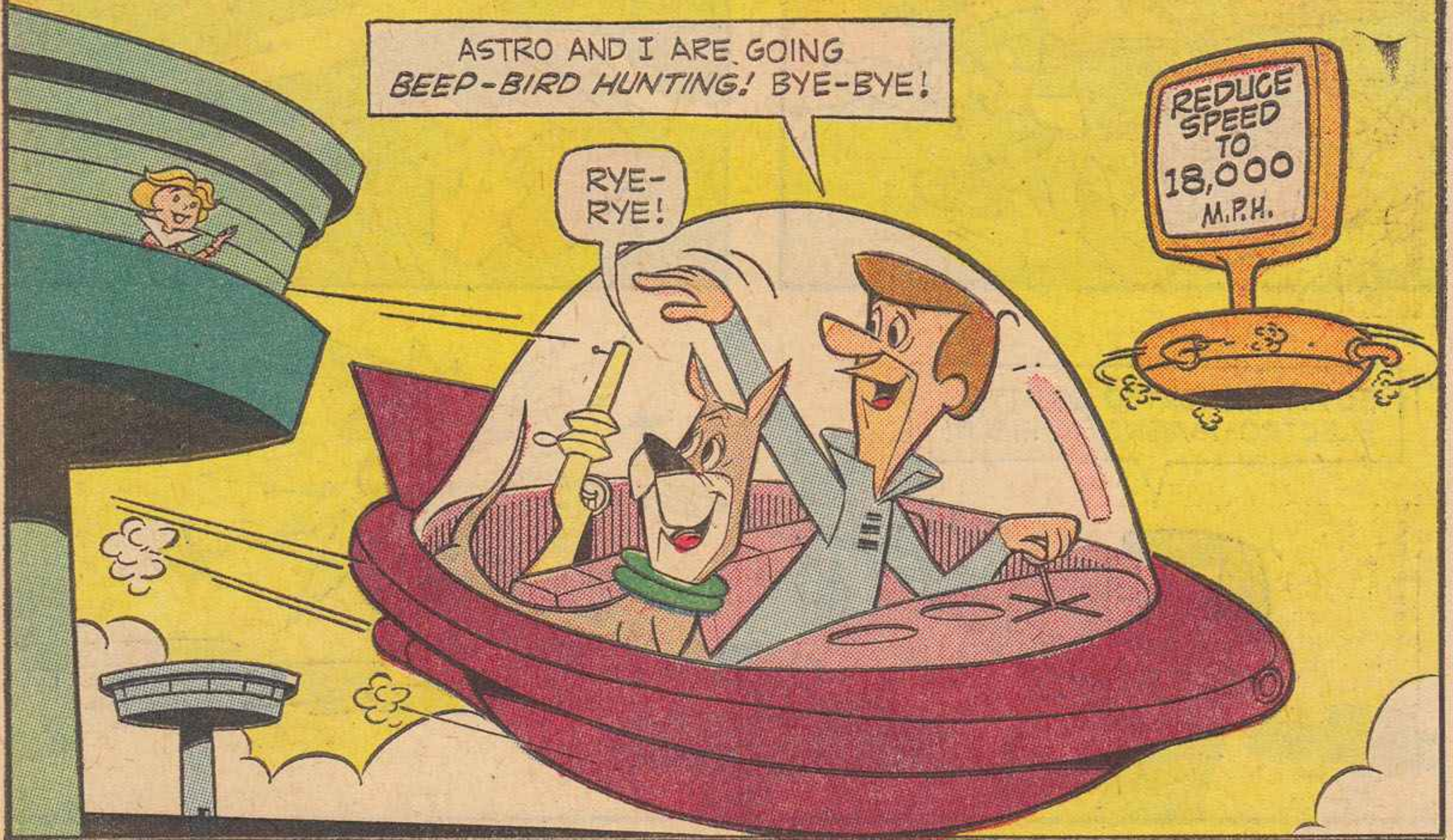
Hanna-Barbera
GEORGE and ASTRO

BIRDS WITHOUT FEATHERS DON'T STICK TOGETHER

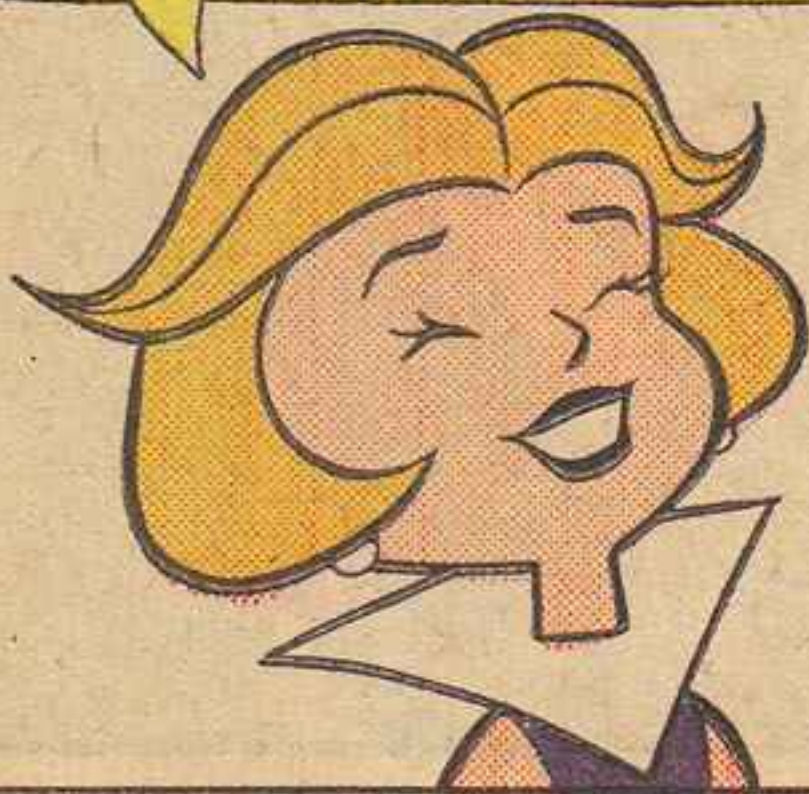
ASTRO AND I ARE GOING
BEEP-BIRD HUNTING! BYE-BYE!

RYE-
RYE!

REDUCE
SPEED
TO
18,000
M.P.H.



MODERN HUNTING IS SO
NICE...NO SWEET LITTLE
ANIMALS GET HURT!



WHOOOPS! I'M OVER
THE SHOOTING RANGE
ALREADY!

BEEP!
BEEP!

REAL
BIRDS
KEEP
OUT!



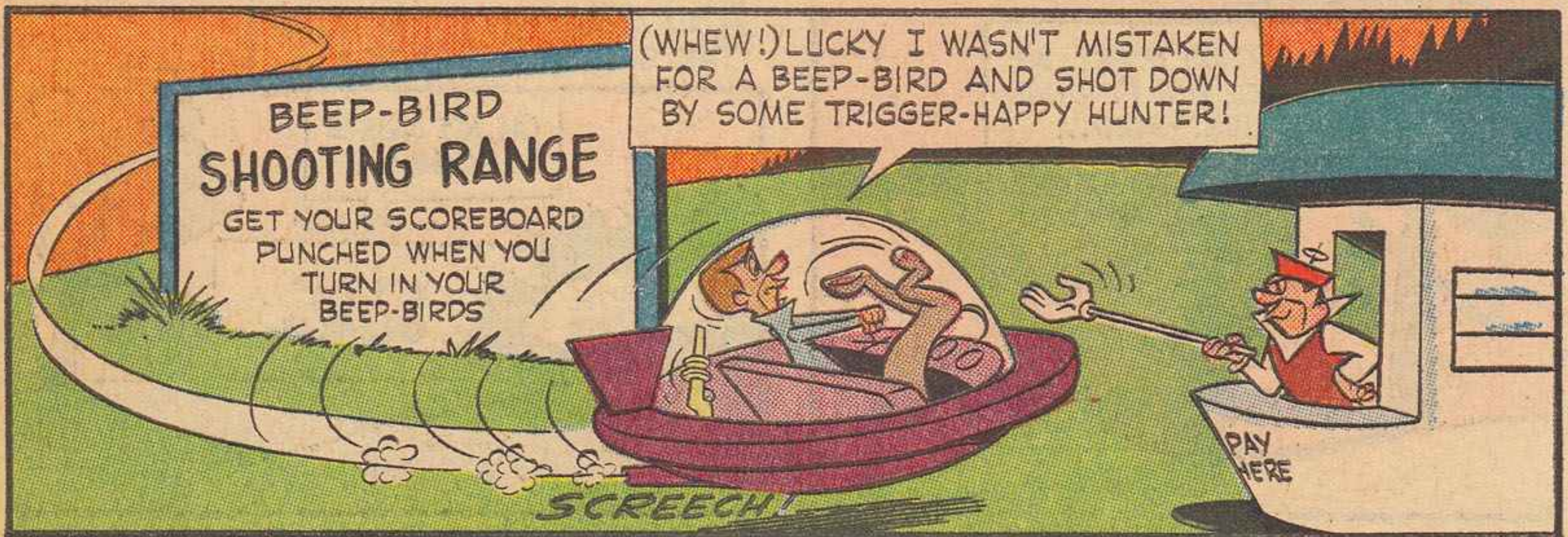
BEEP-BIRD
SHOOTING RANGE

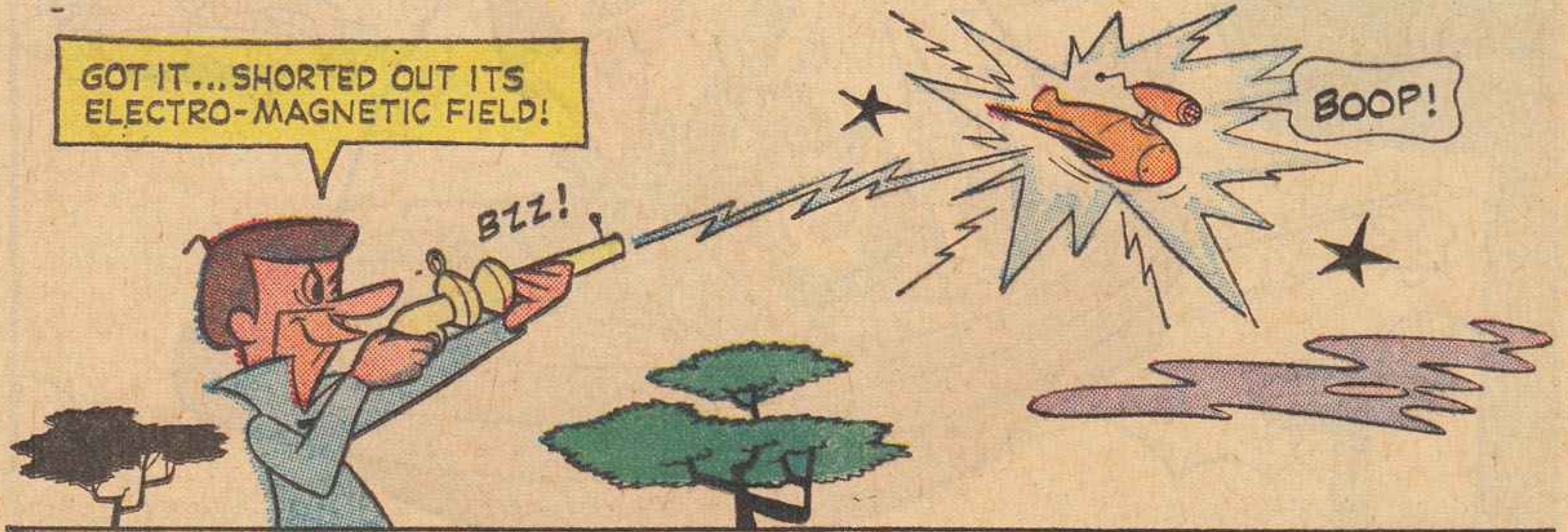
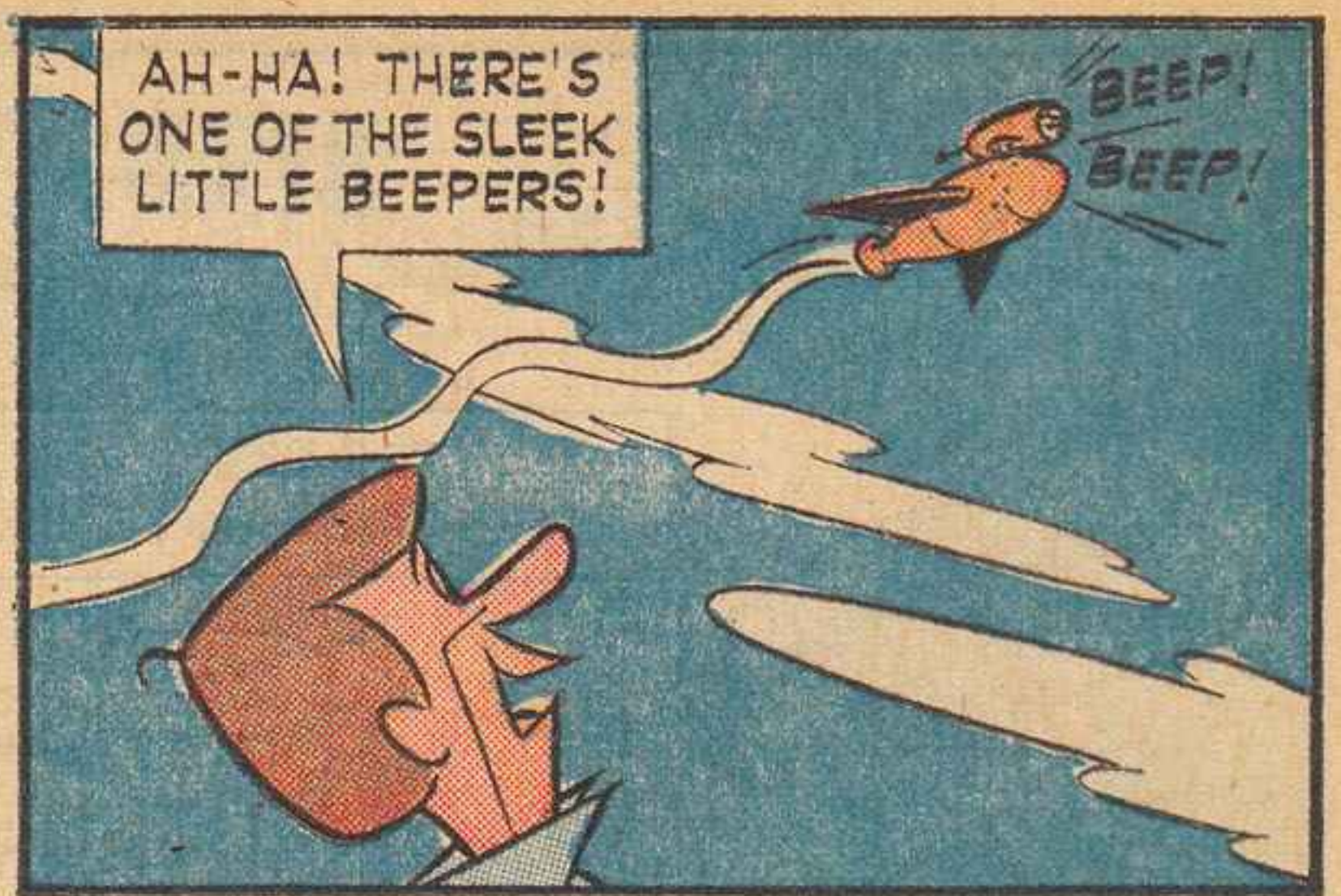
GET YOUR SCOREBOARD
PUNCHED WHEN YOU
TURN IN YOUR
BEEP-BIRDS

(WHEW!) LUCKY I WASN'T MISTAKEN
FOR A BEEP-BIRD AND SHOT DOWN
BY SOME TRIGGER-HAPPY HUNTER!

PAY
HERE

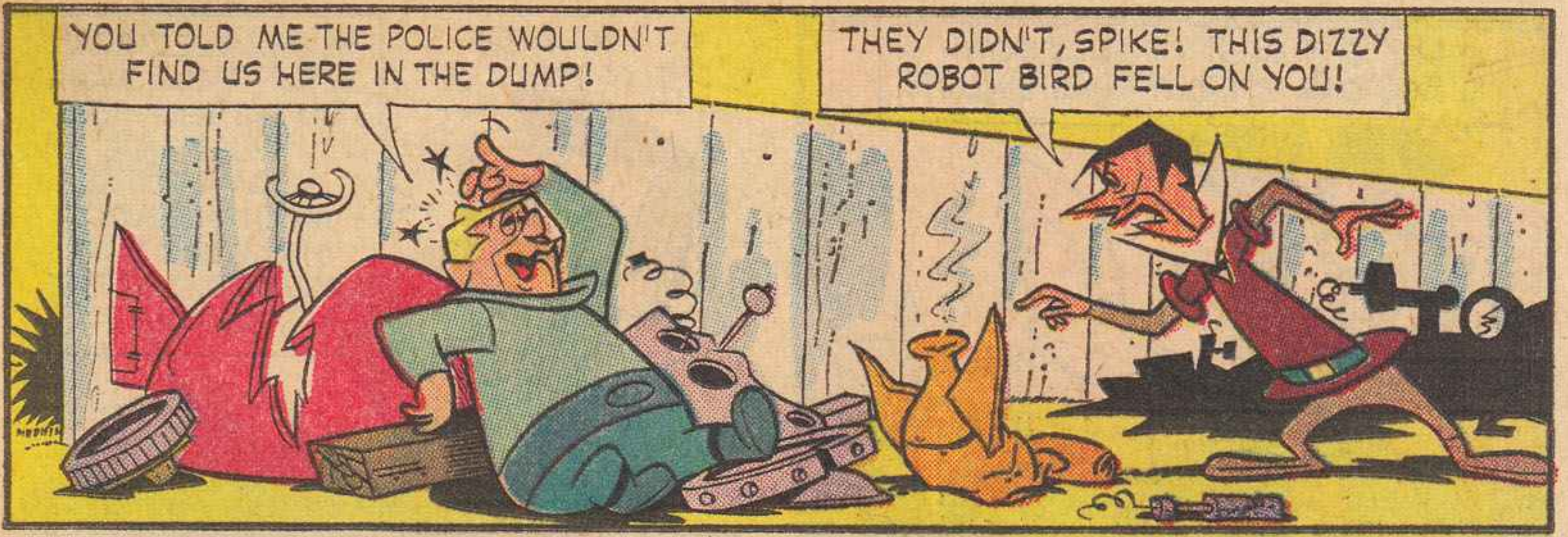
SCREECH!





YOU TOLD ME THE POLICE WOULDN'T FIND US HERE IN THE DUMP!

THEY DIDN'T, SPIKE! THIS DIZZY ROBOT BIRD FELL ON YOU!



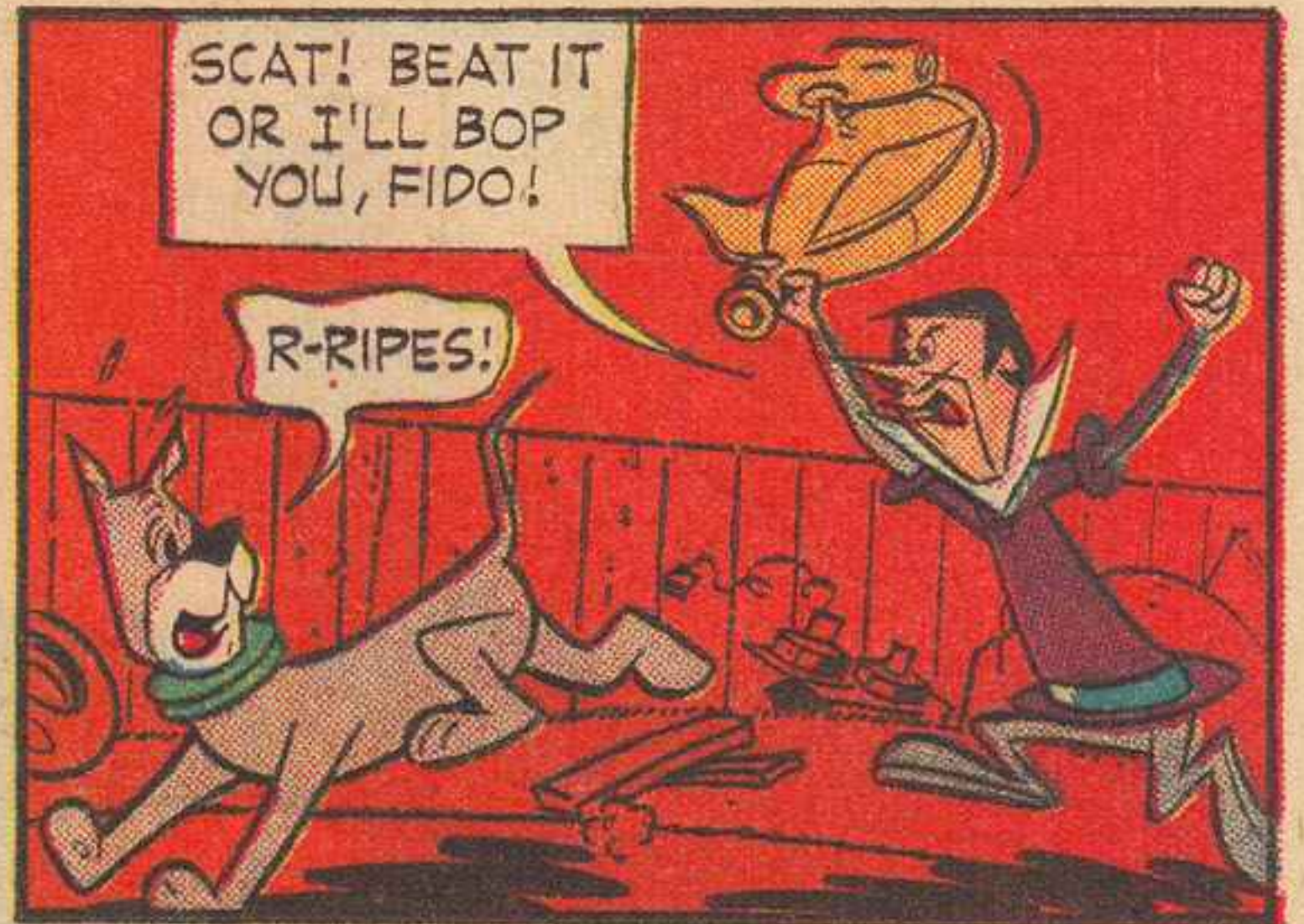
WURF! WURF!

EEK! THE BLOOD-HOUNDS ARE AFTER US NOW!



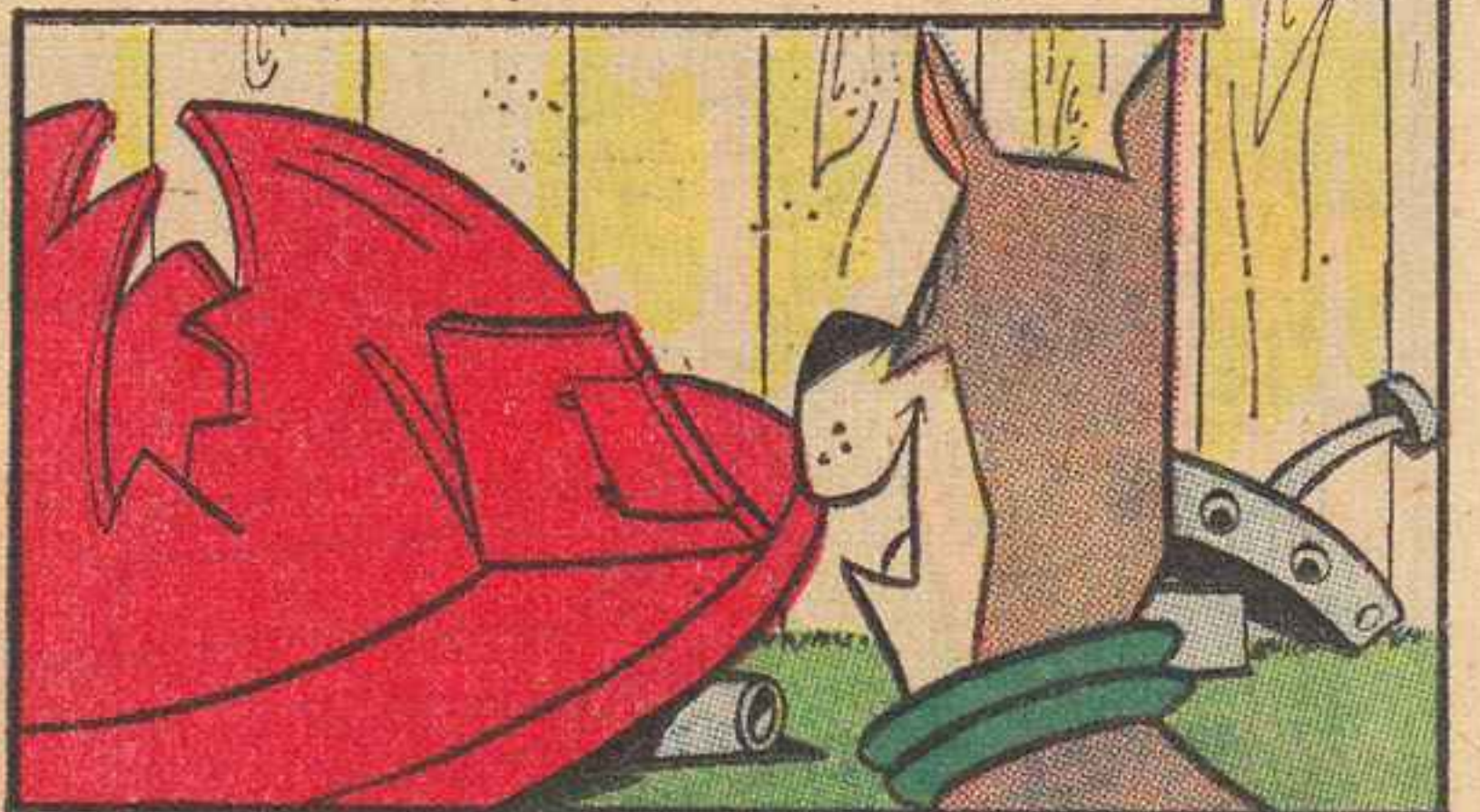
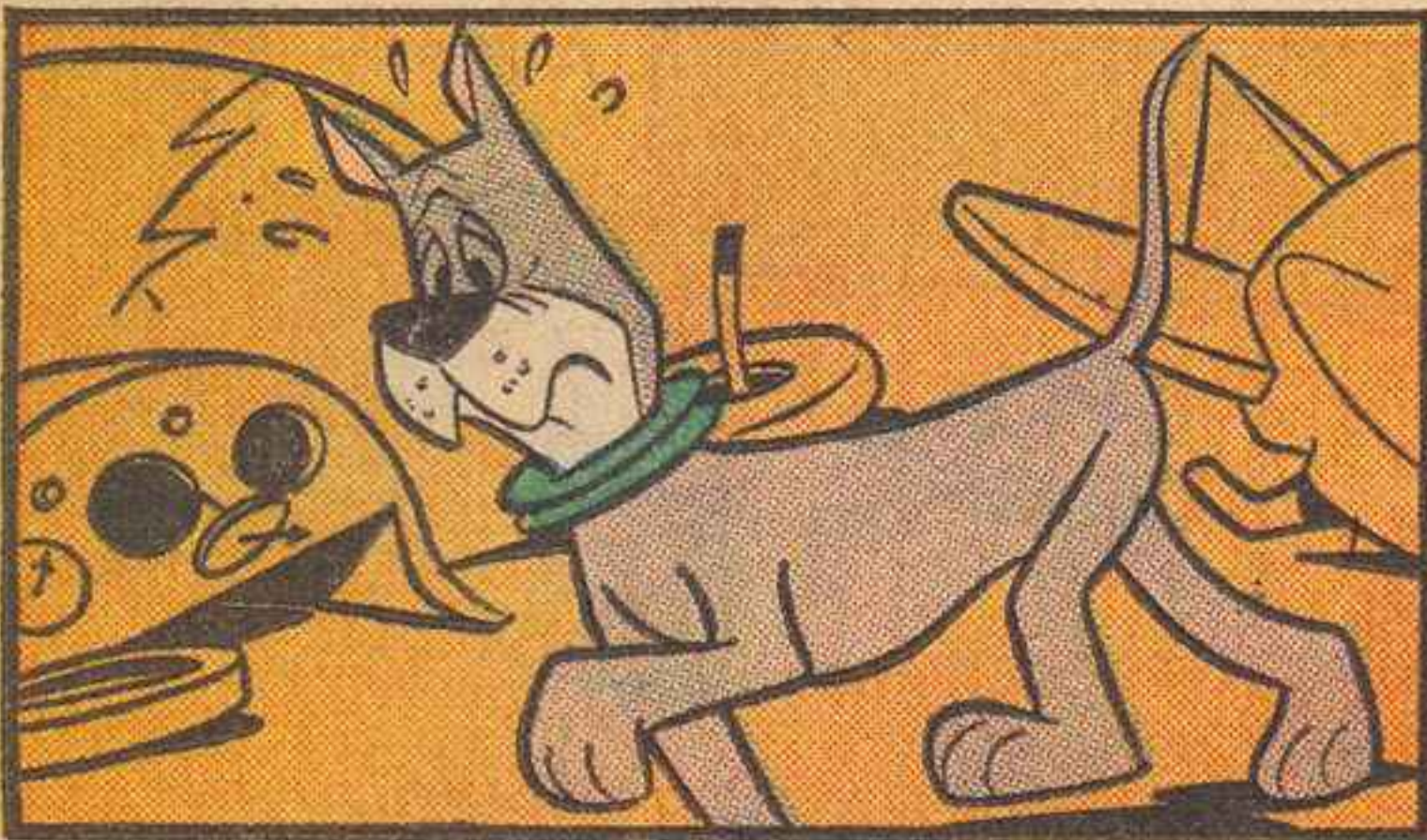
SCAT! BEAT IT OR I'LL BOP YOU, FIDO!

R-RIPES!

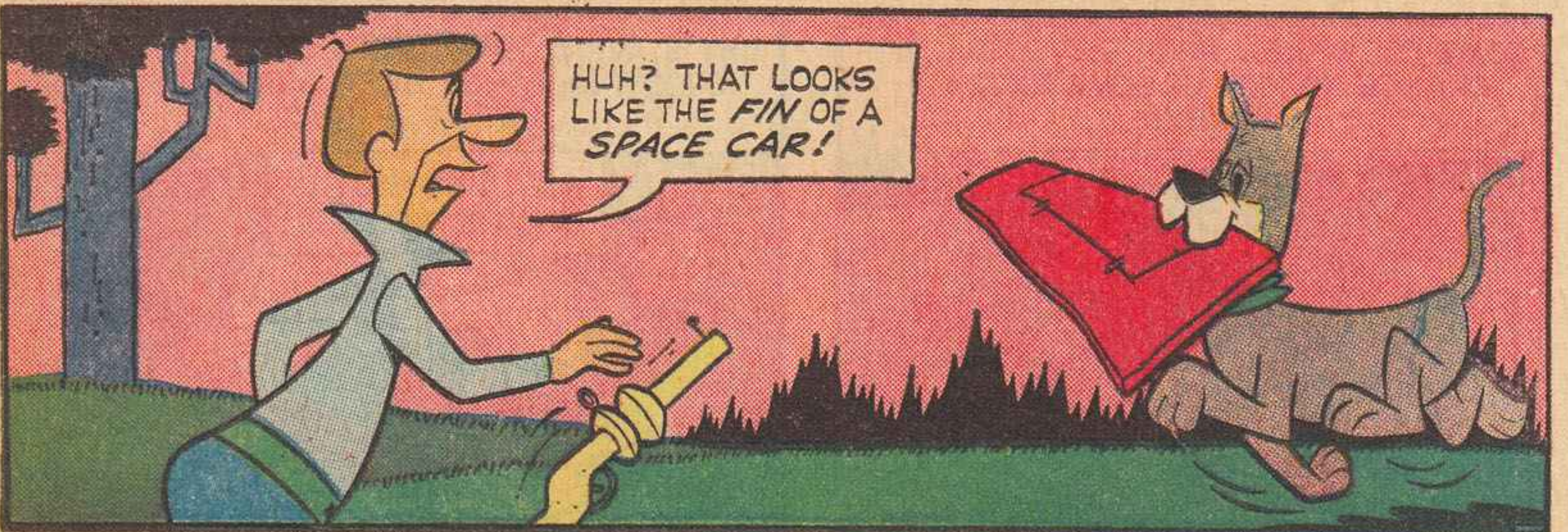


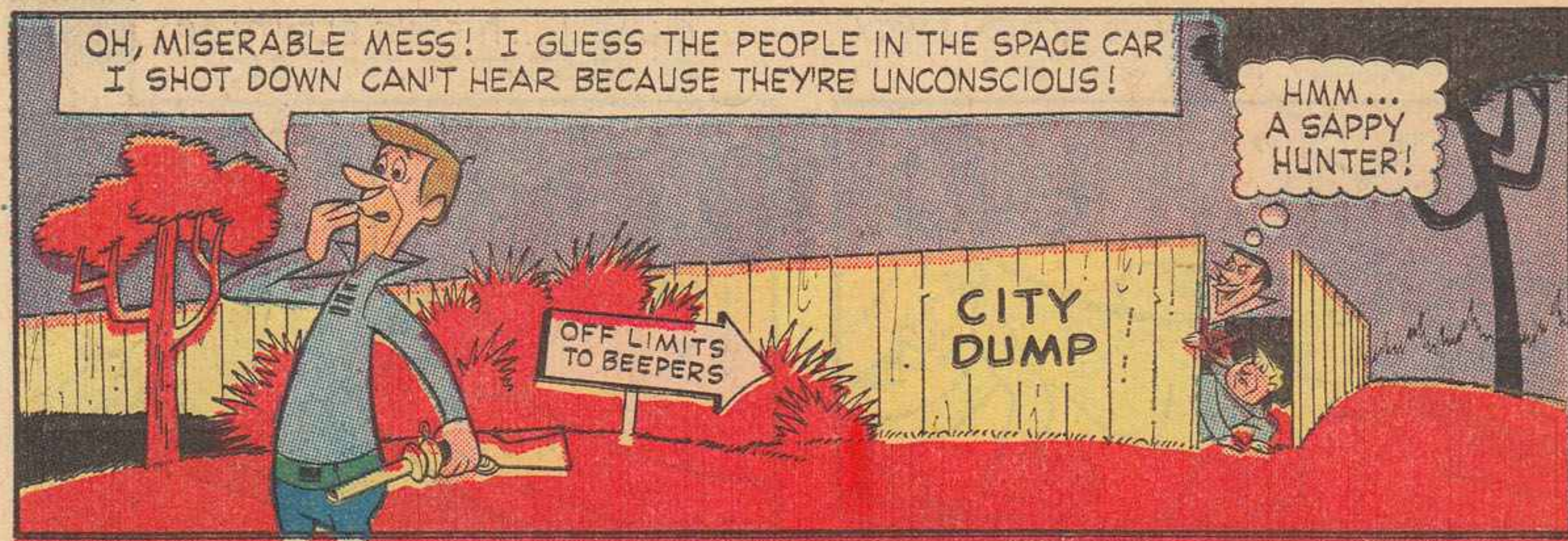
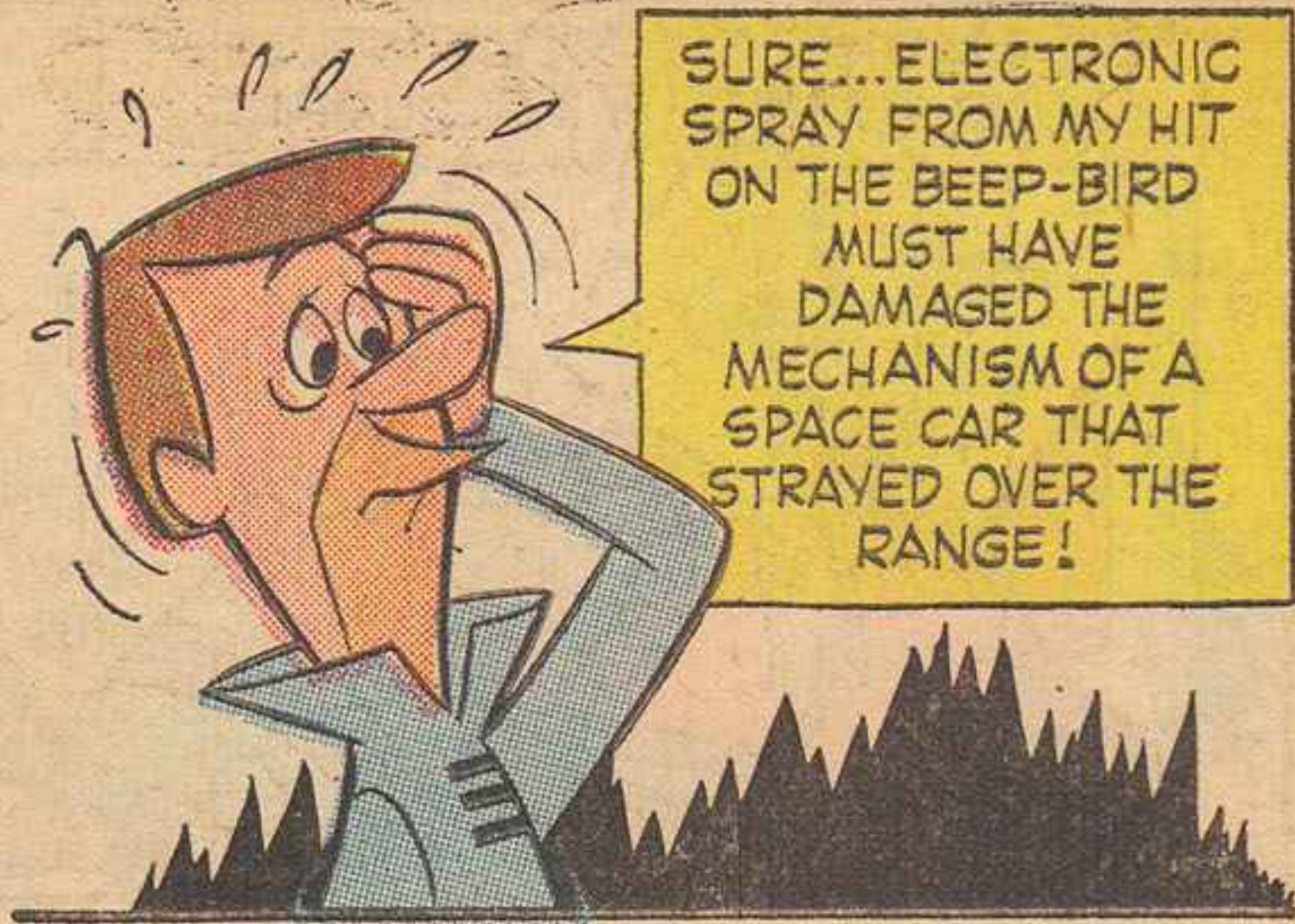
POOR ASTRO! HOW CAN HE RETURN EMPTY-MOUTHED TO HIS MASTER?

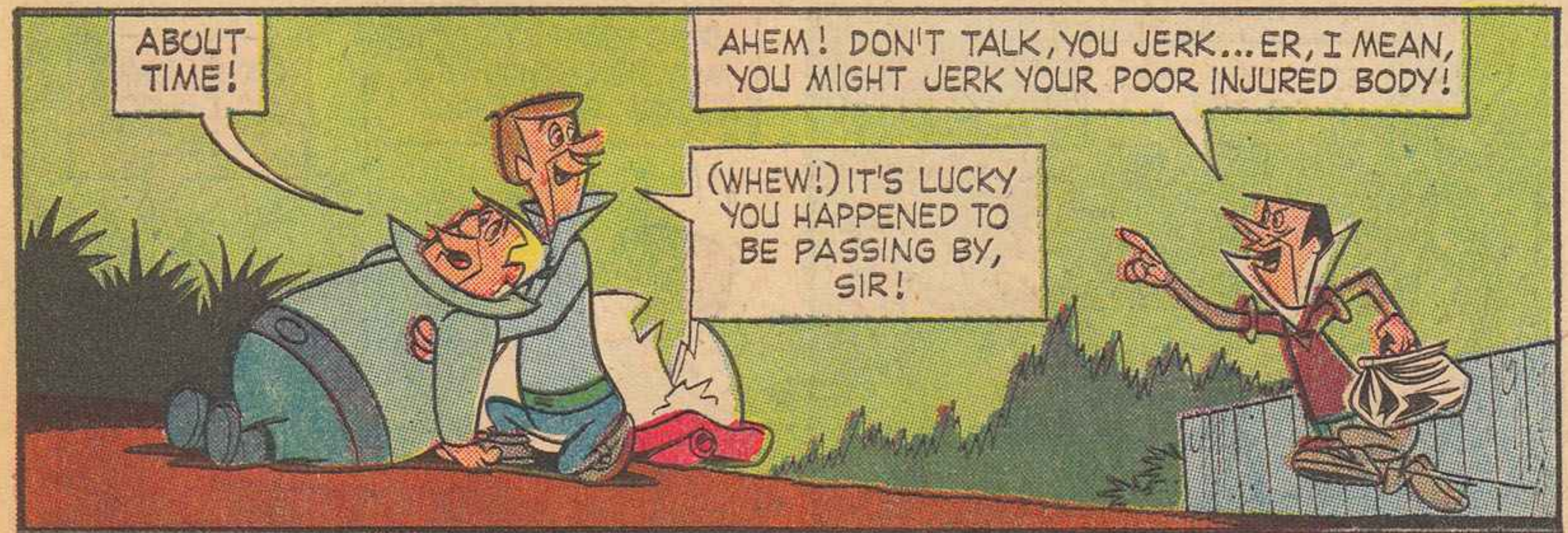
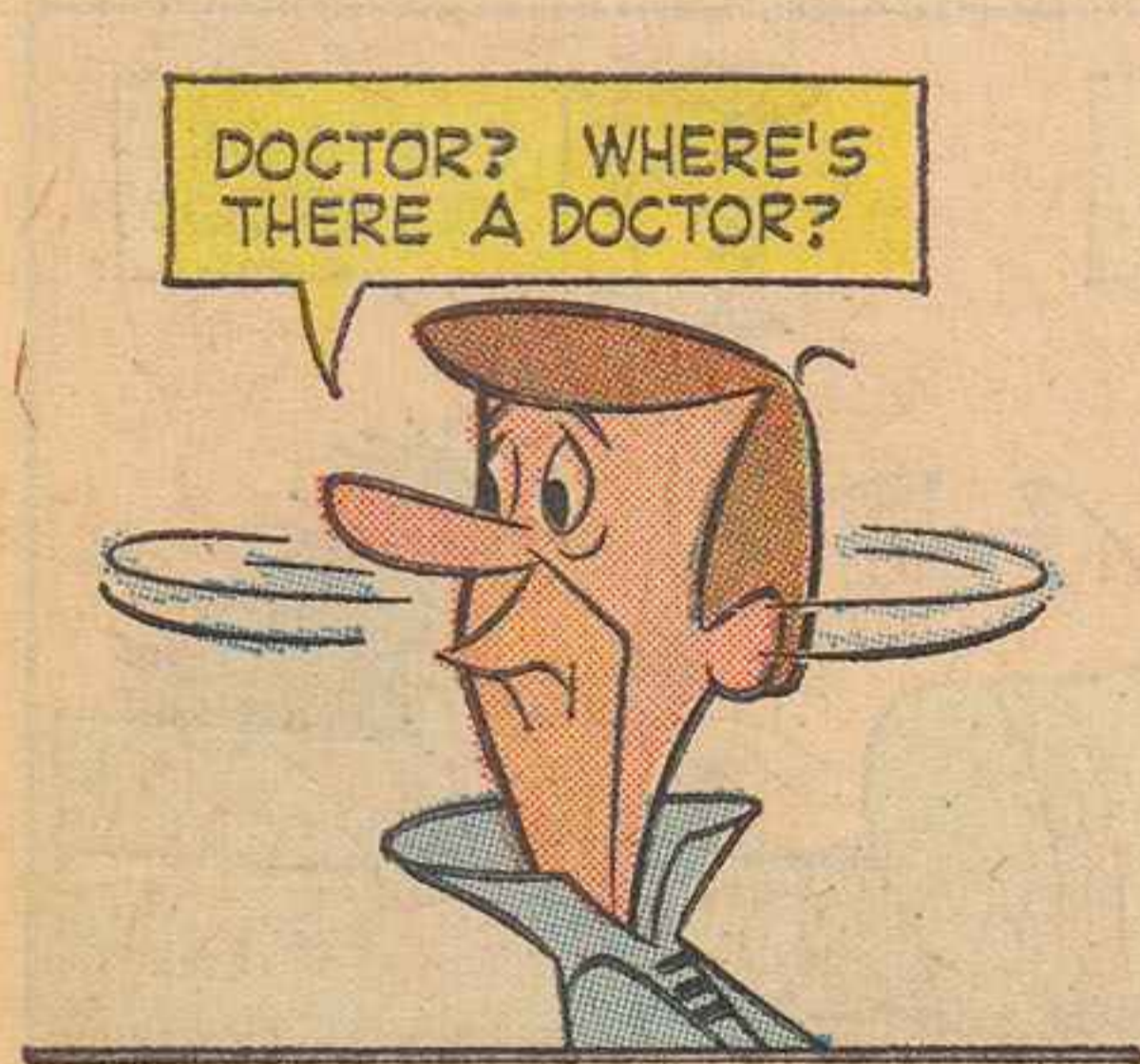
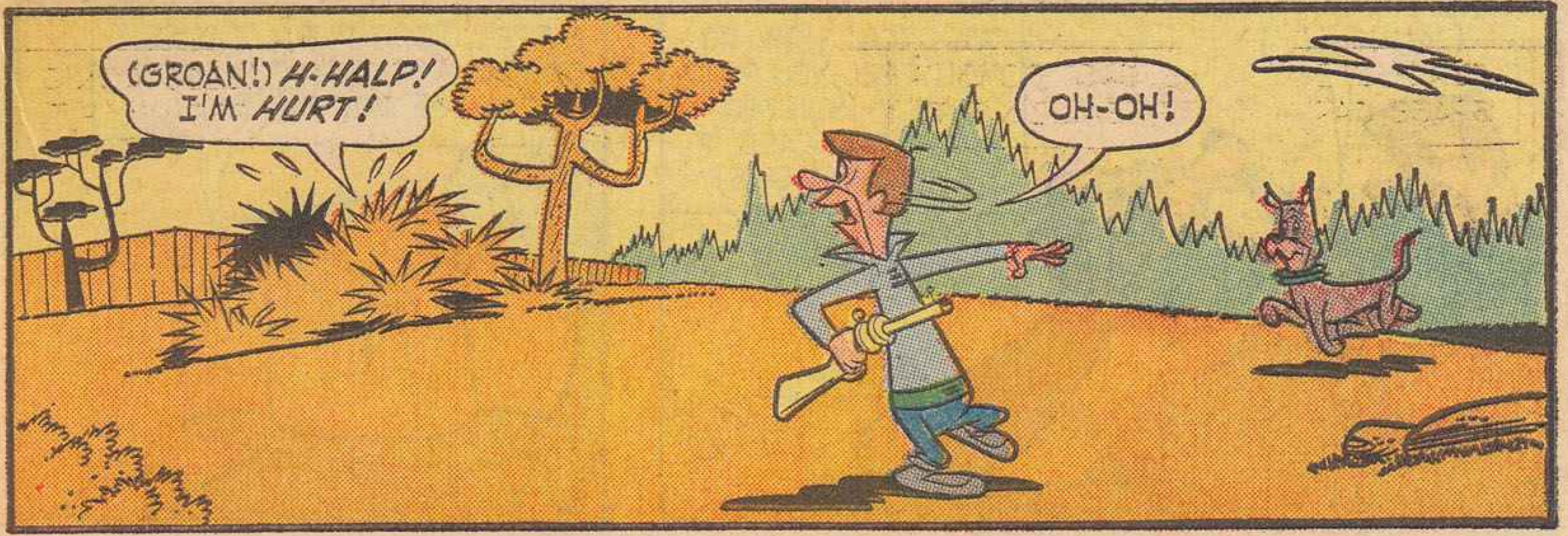
OH, WELL...THERE'S PLENTY OF OTHER STUFF TO BRING BACK!

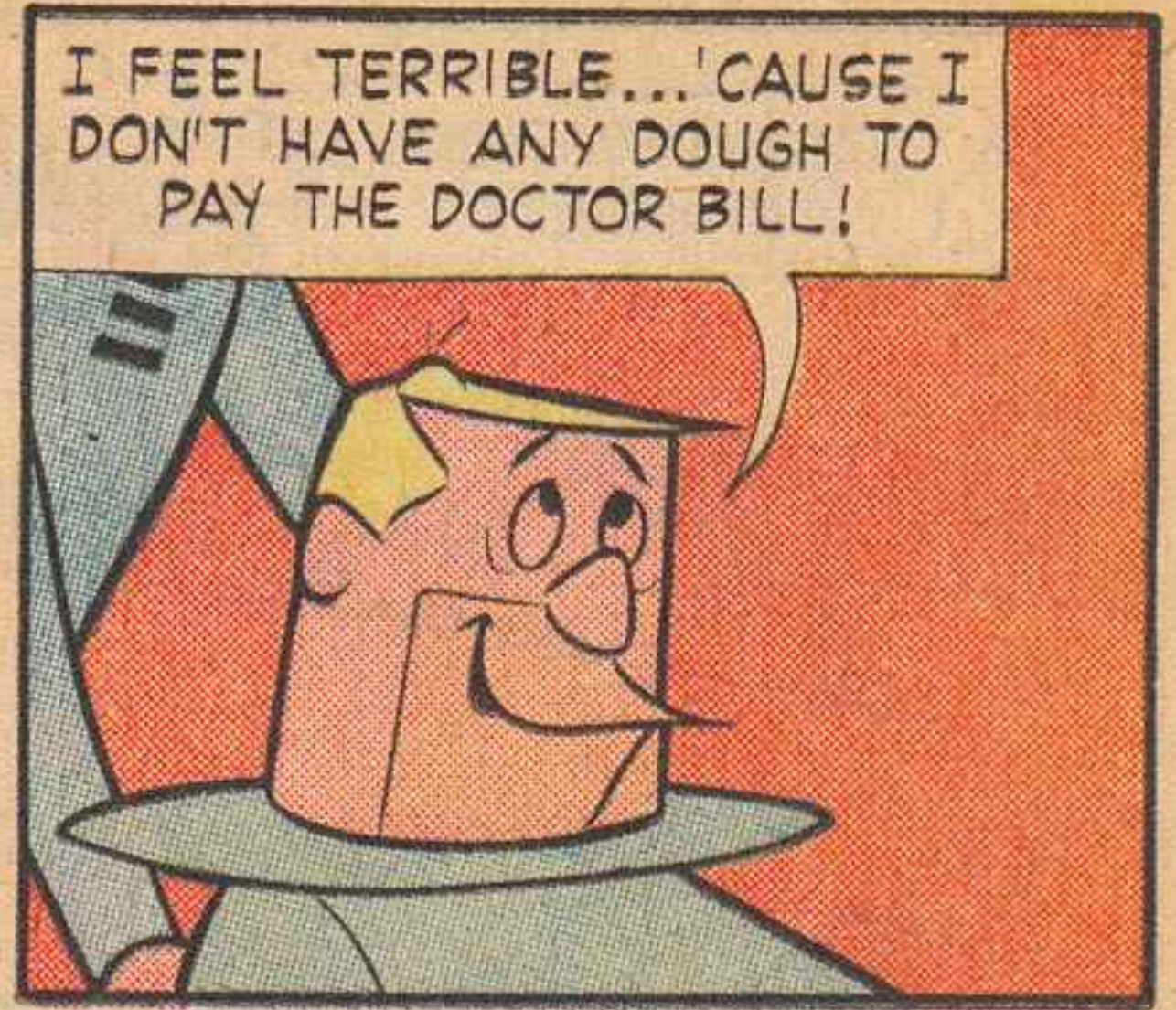
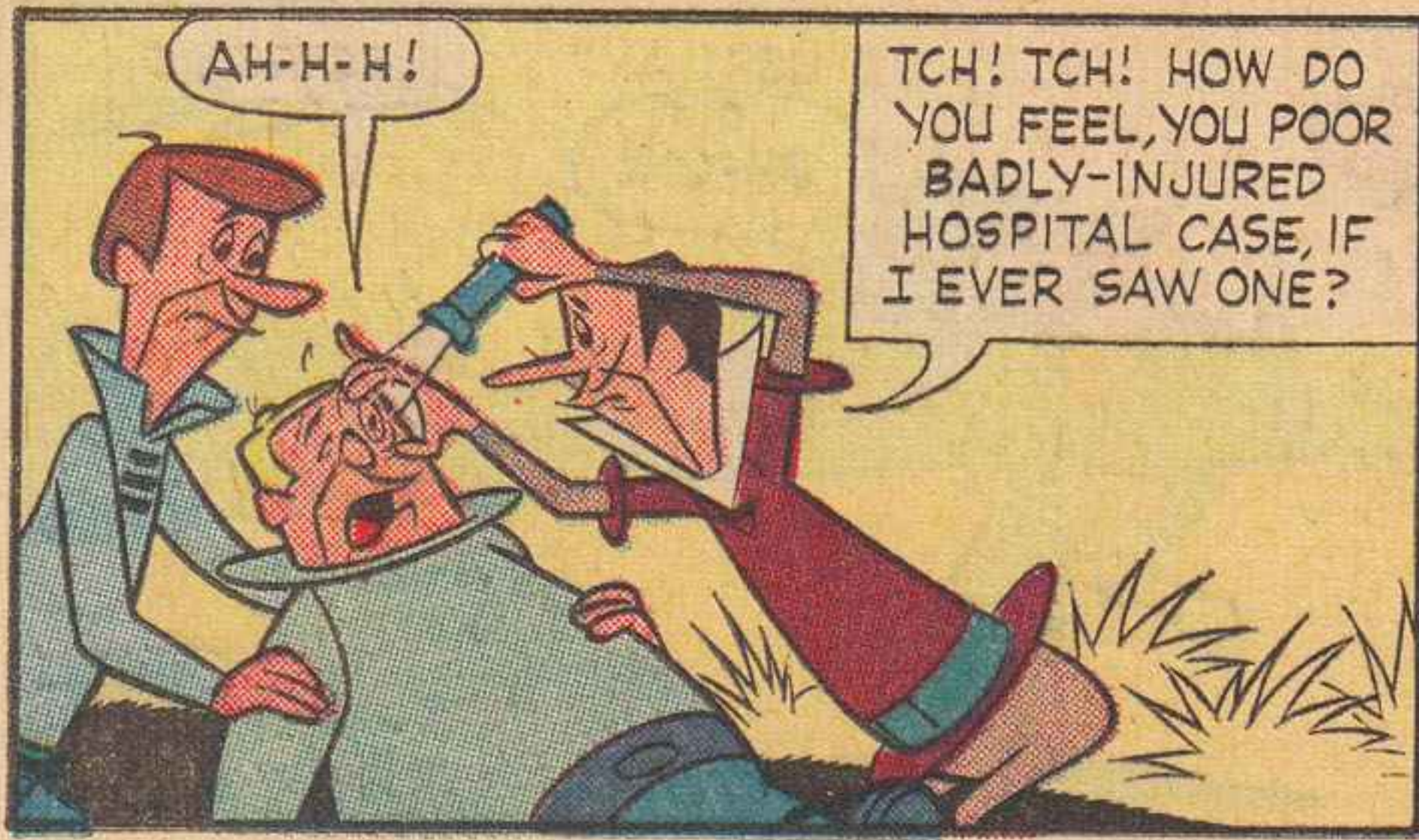


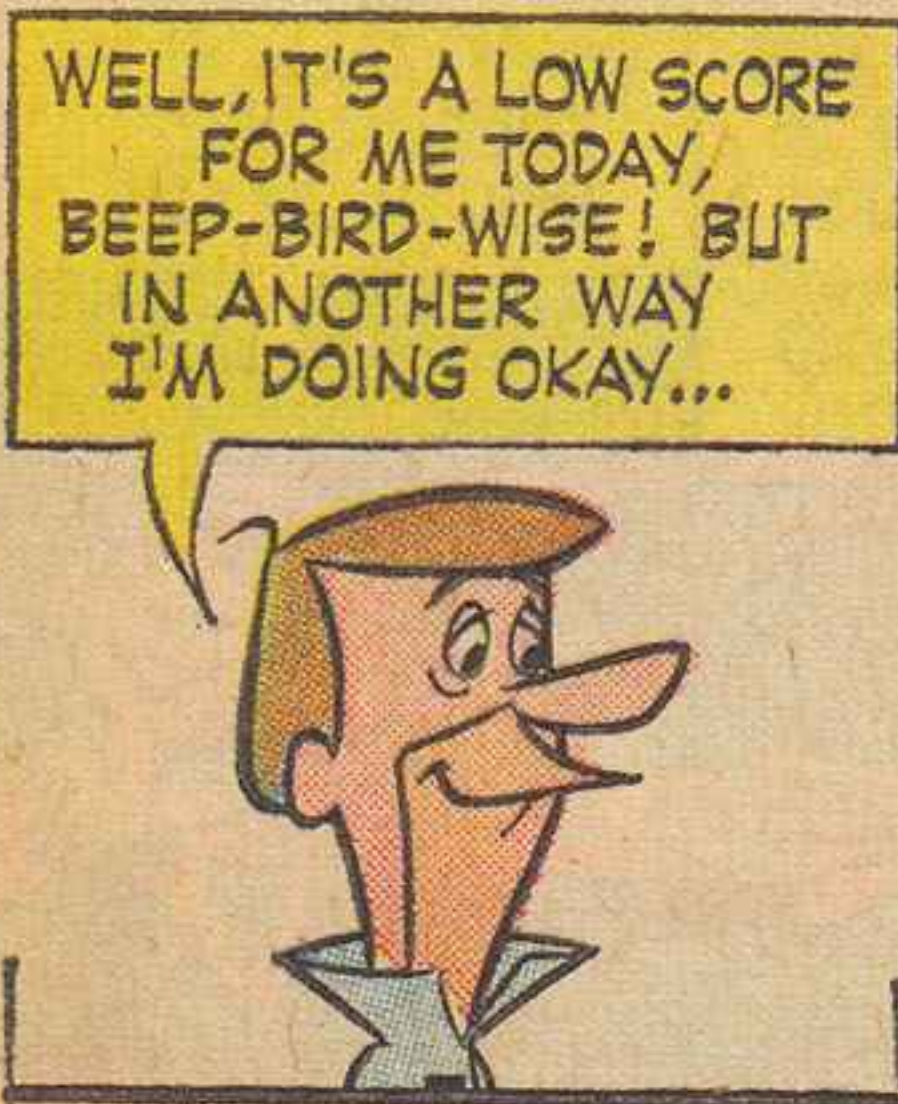
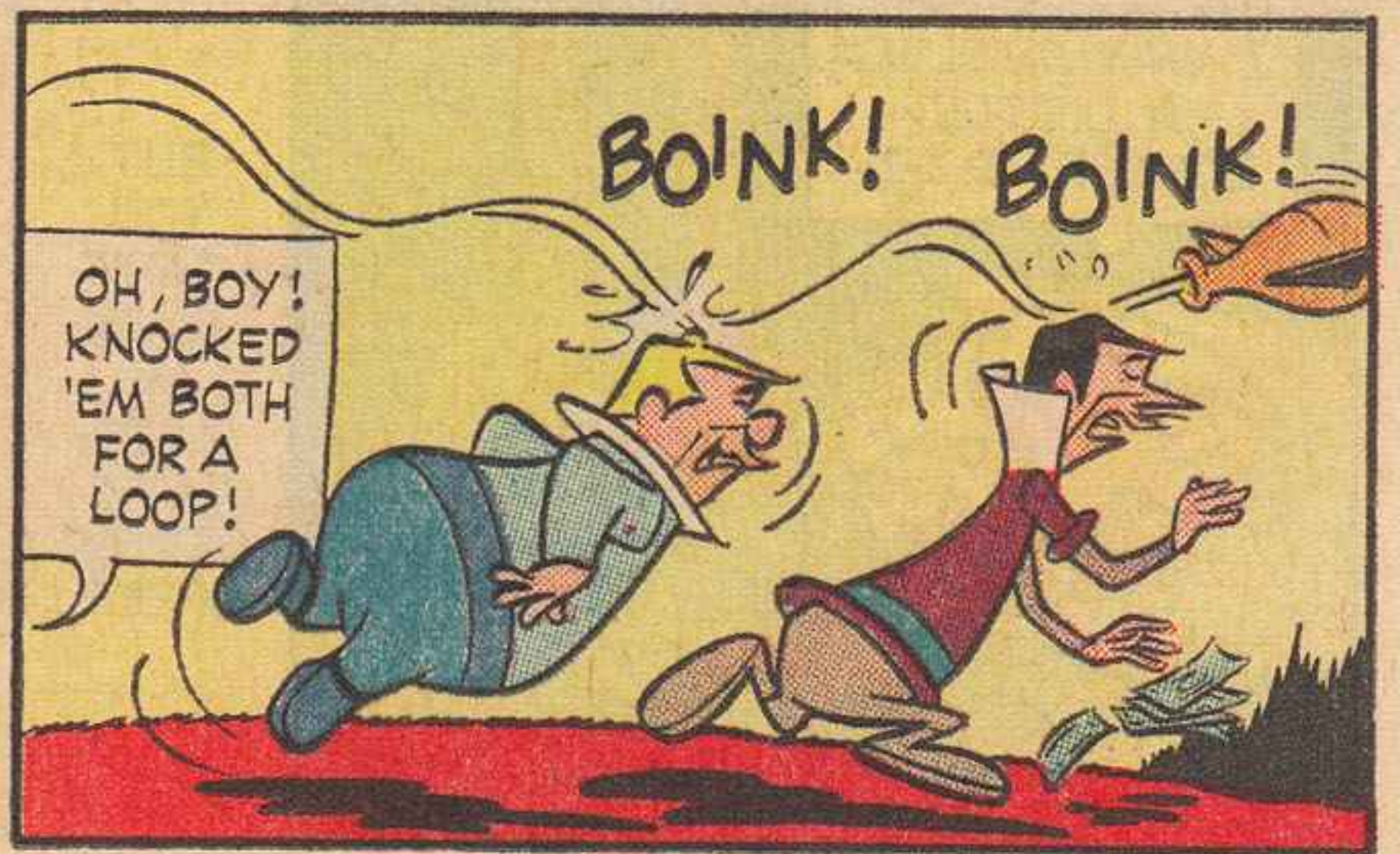
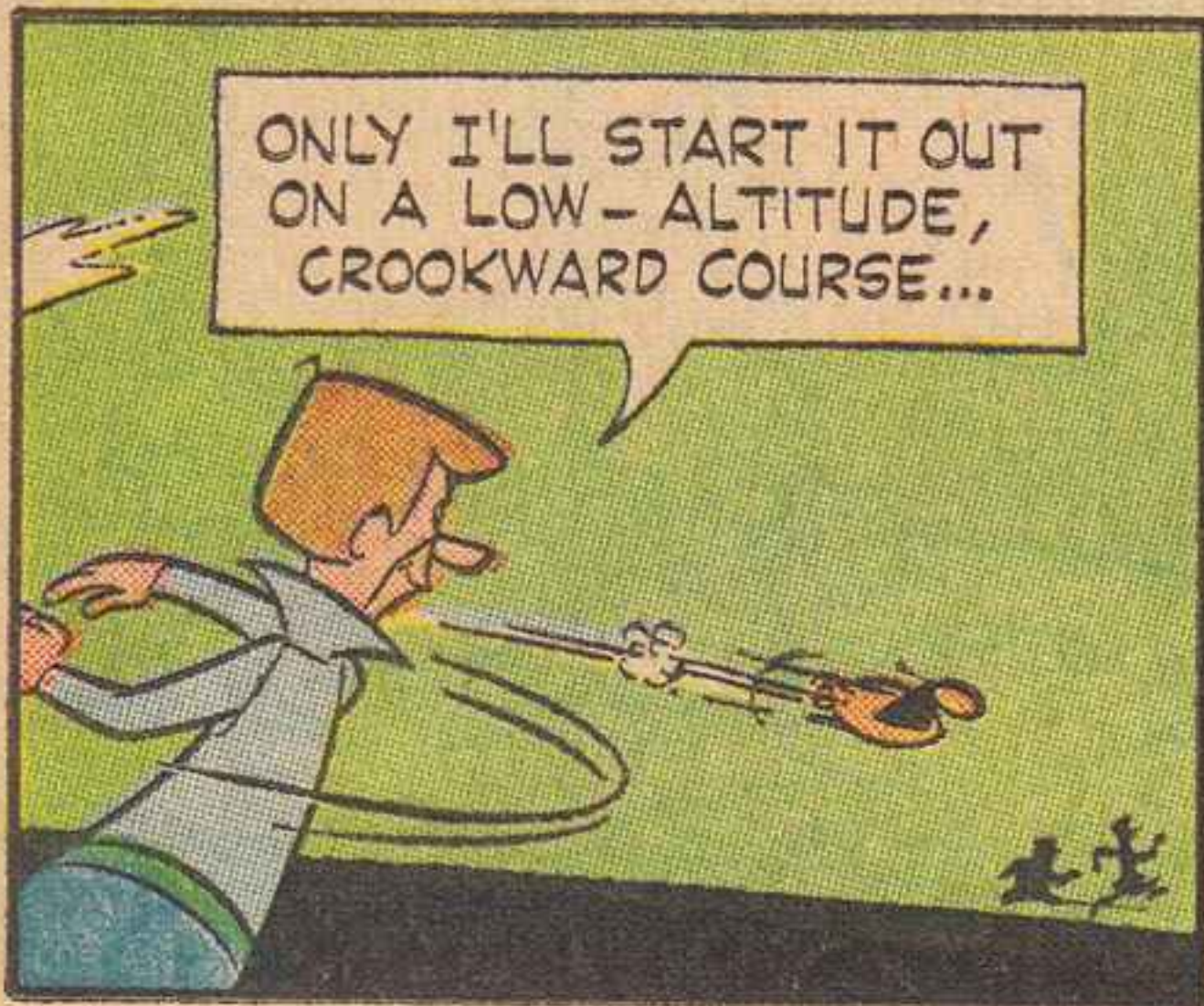
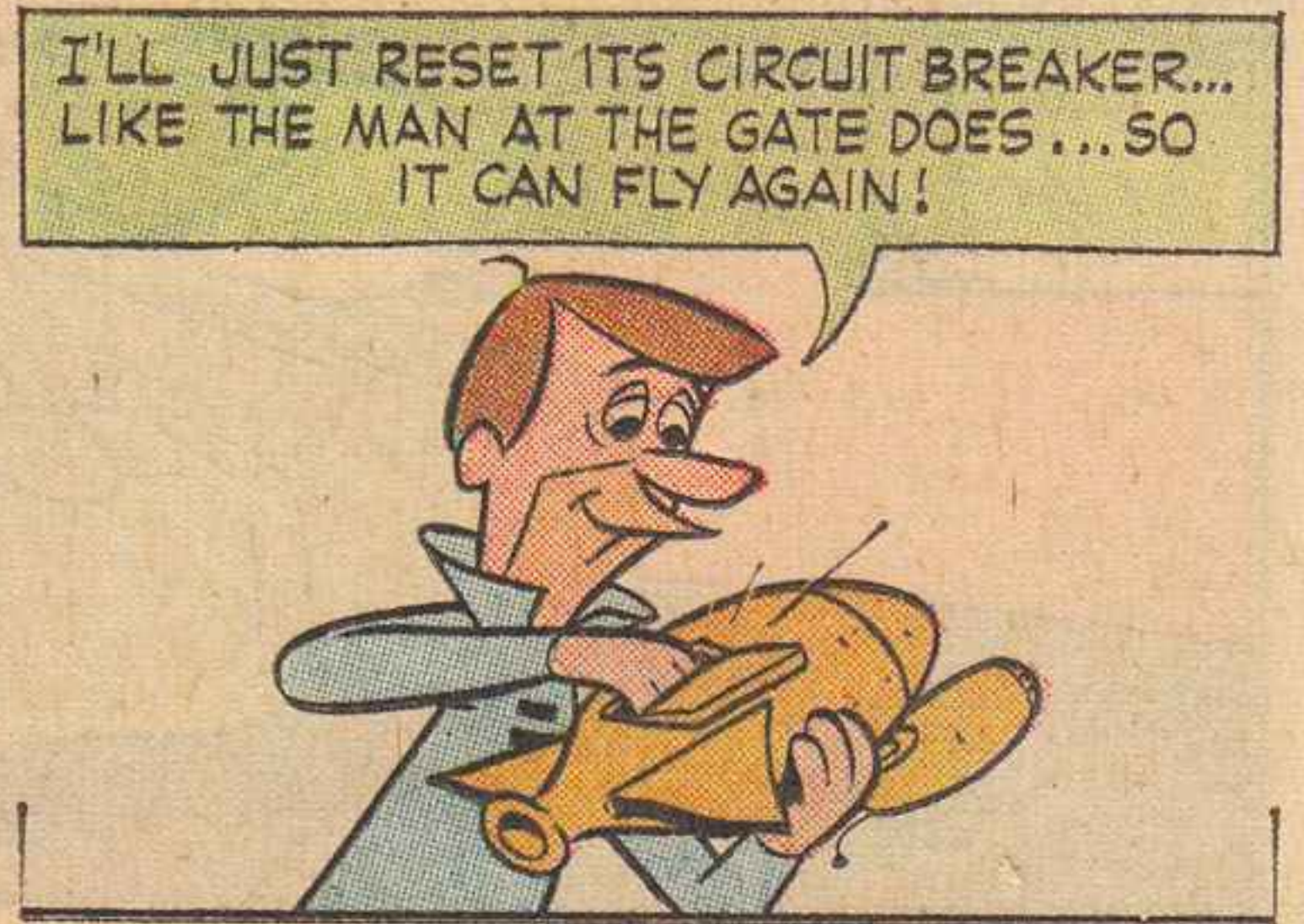
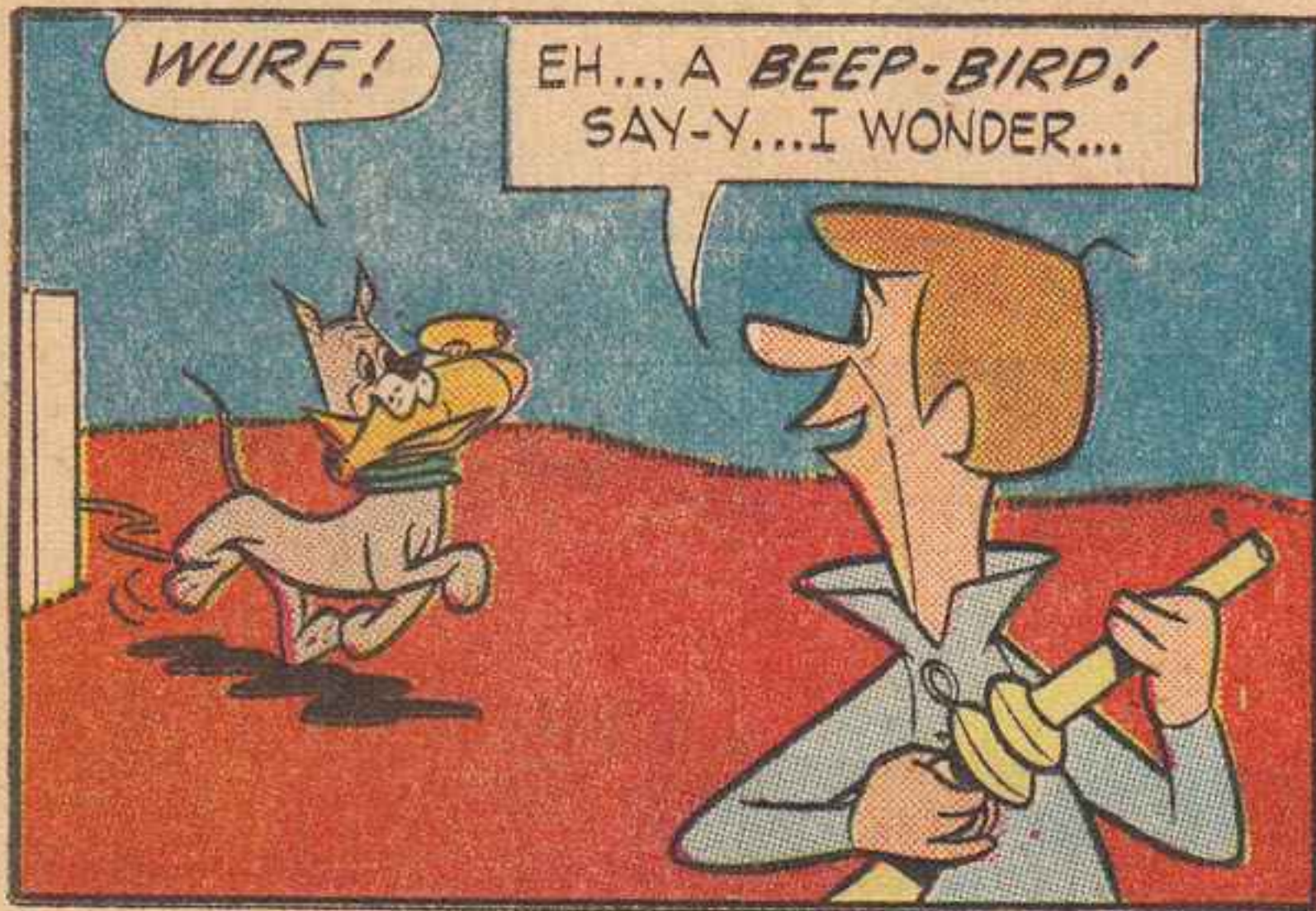
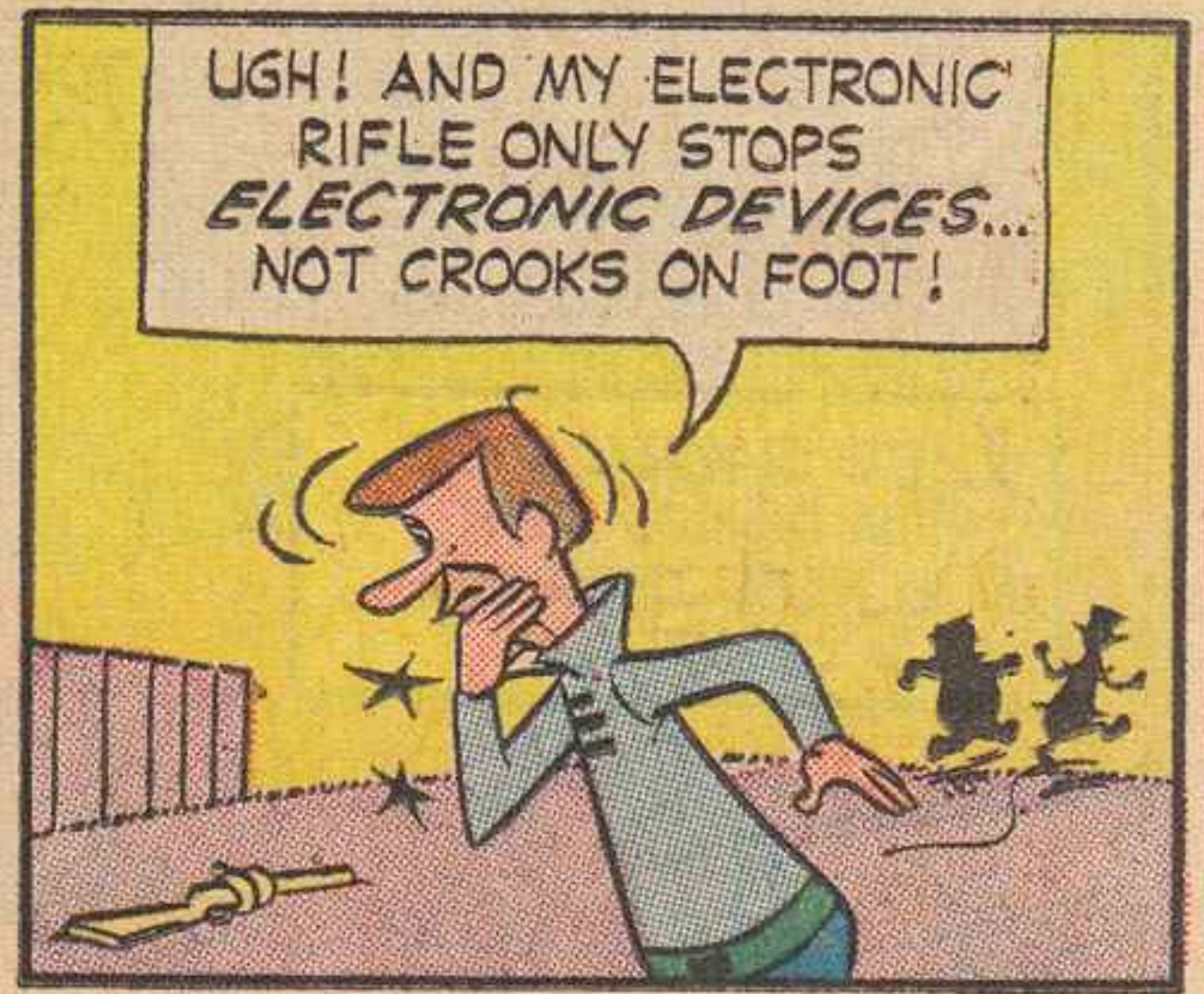
HUH? THAT LOOKS LIKE THE FIN OF A SPACE CAR!





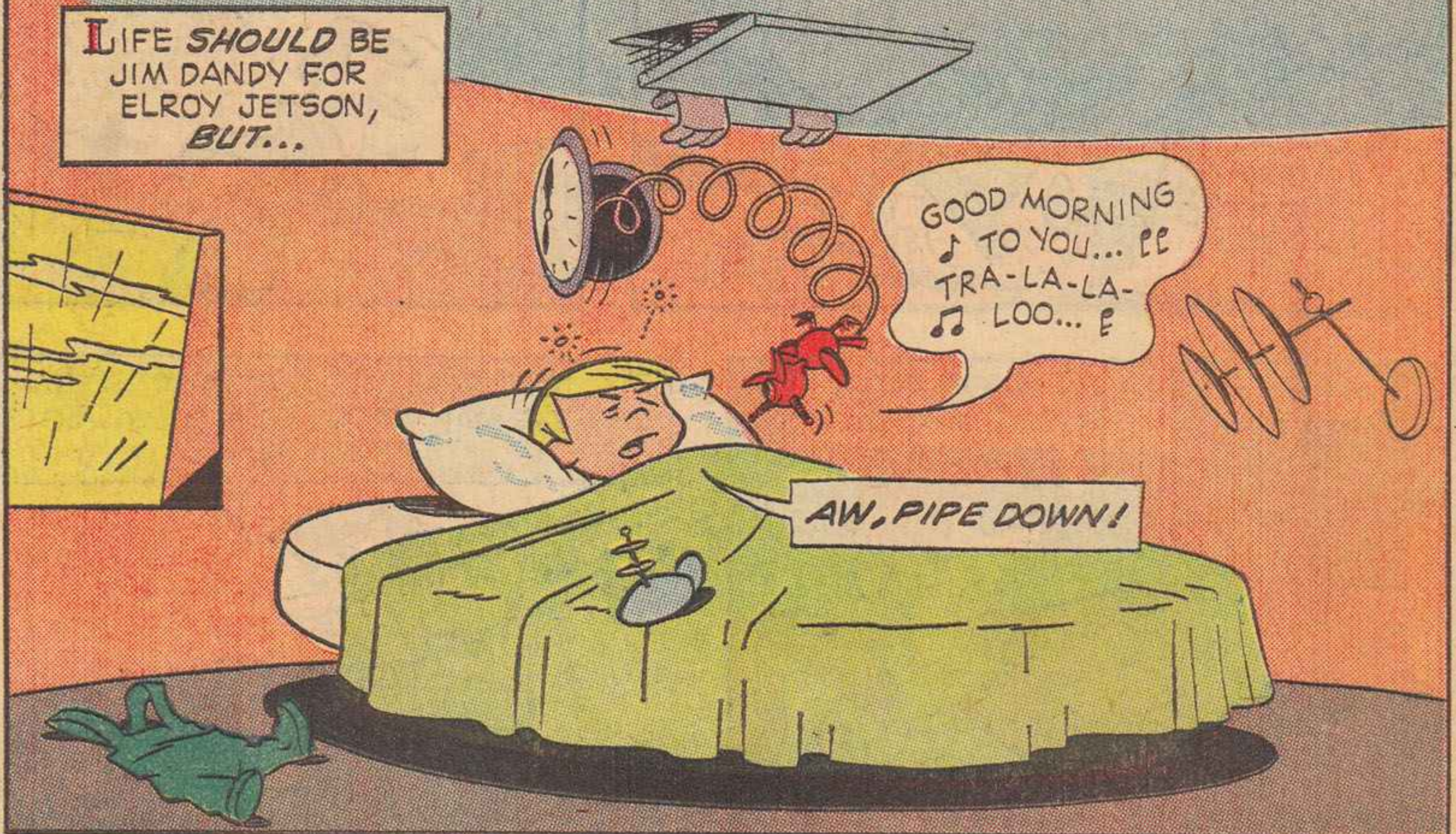






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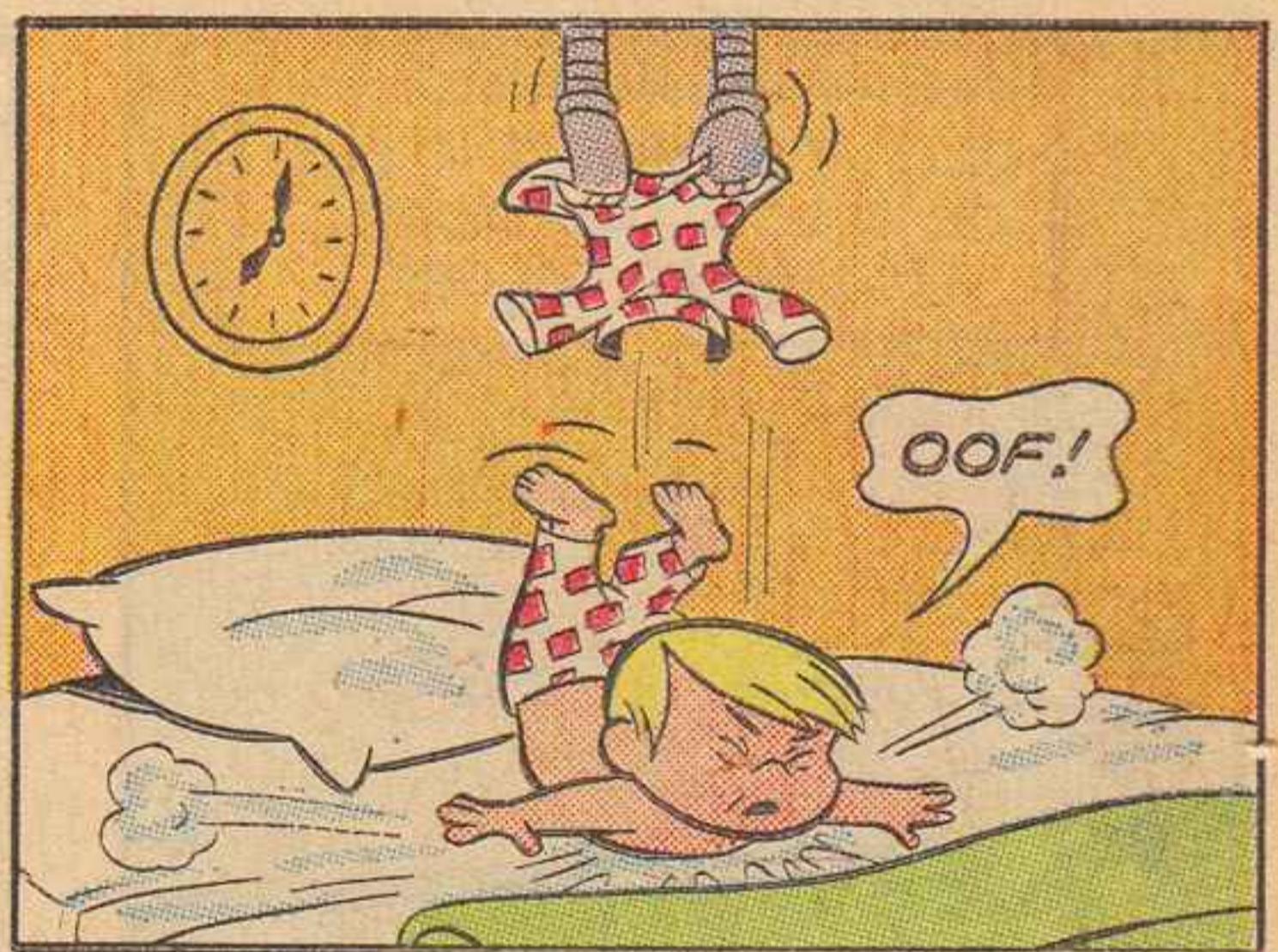
LIFE SHOULD BE
JIM DANDY FOR
ELROY JETSON,
BUT...



I WANNA SLEEP
A LITTLE
LONGER! Z-Z-Z-



BUT
YOU
CAN'T
BUCK
AN
AUTO-
MATIC
GETTER-
UPPER...



MY, YOU HAVE A BRIGHT AND SHINY
LITTLE FACE THIS MORNING!

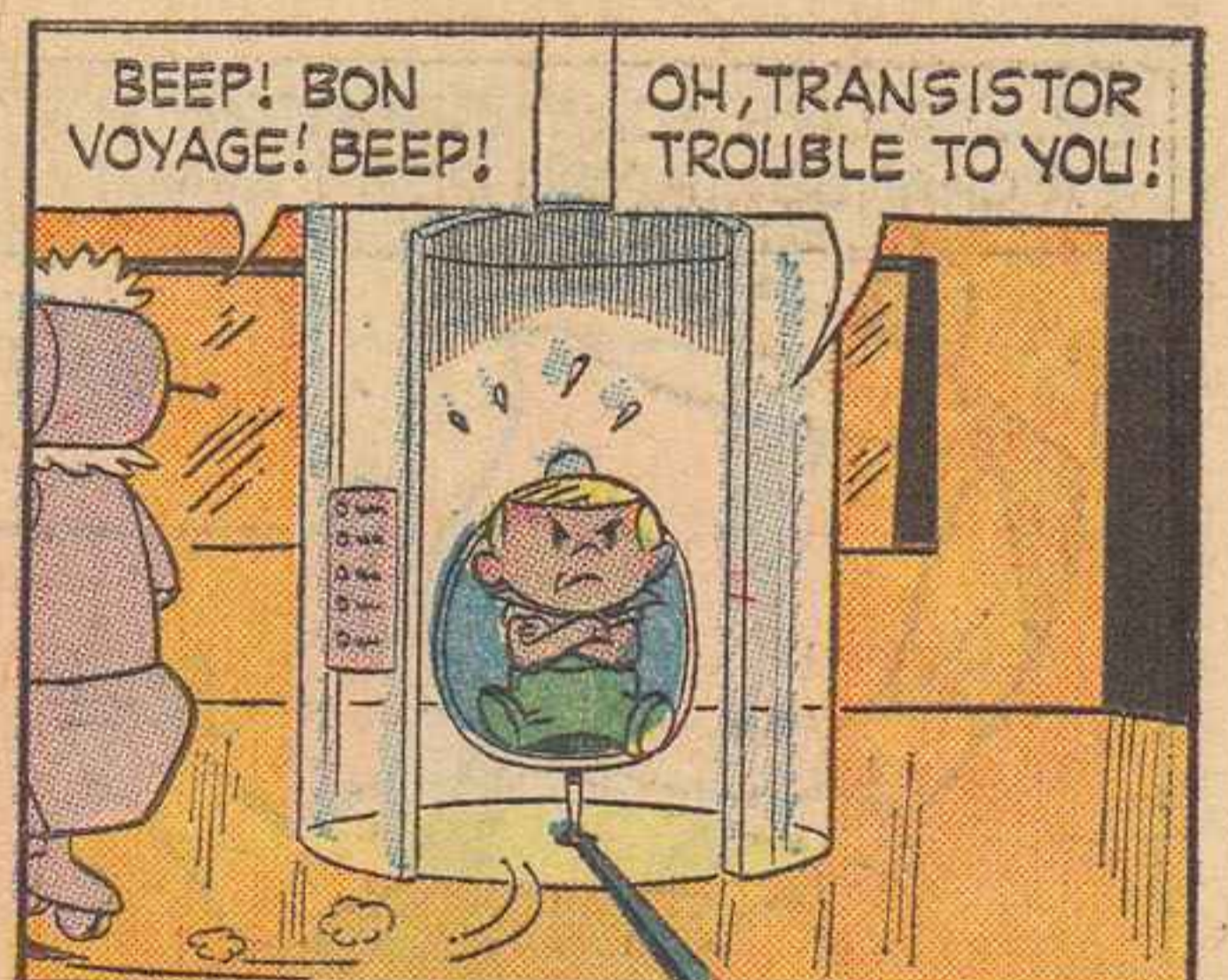
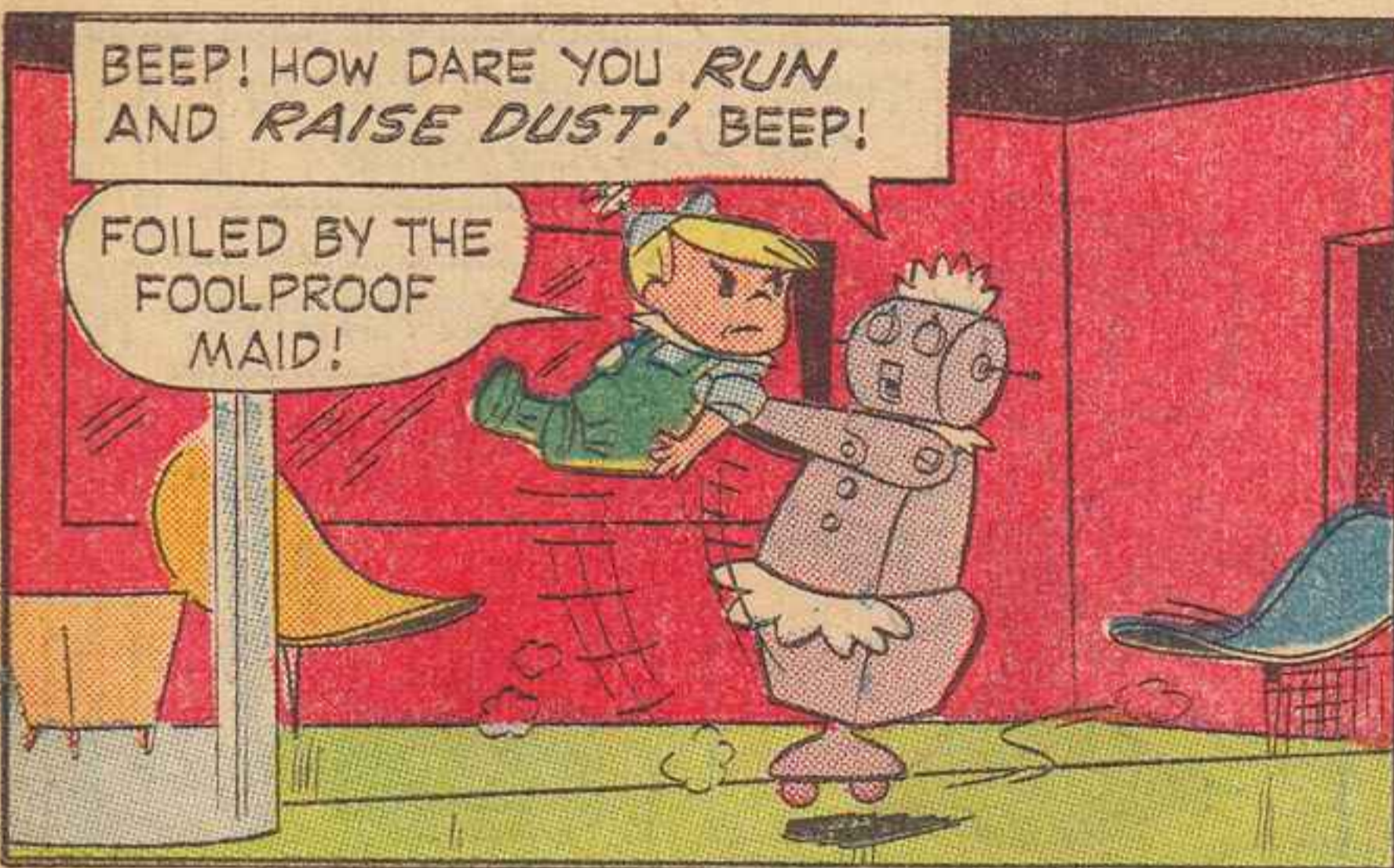
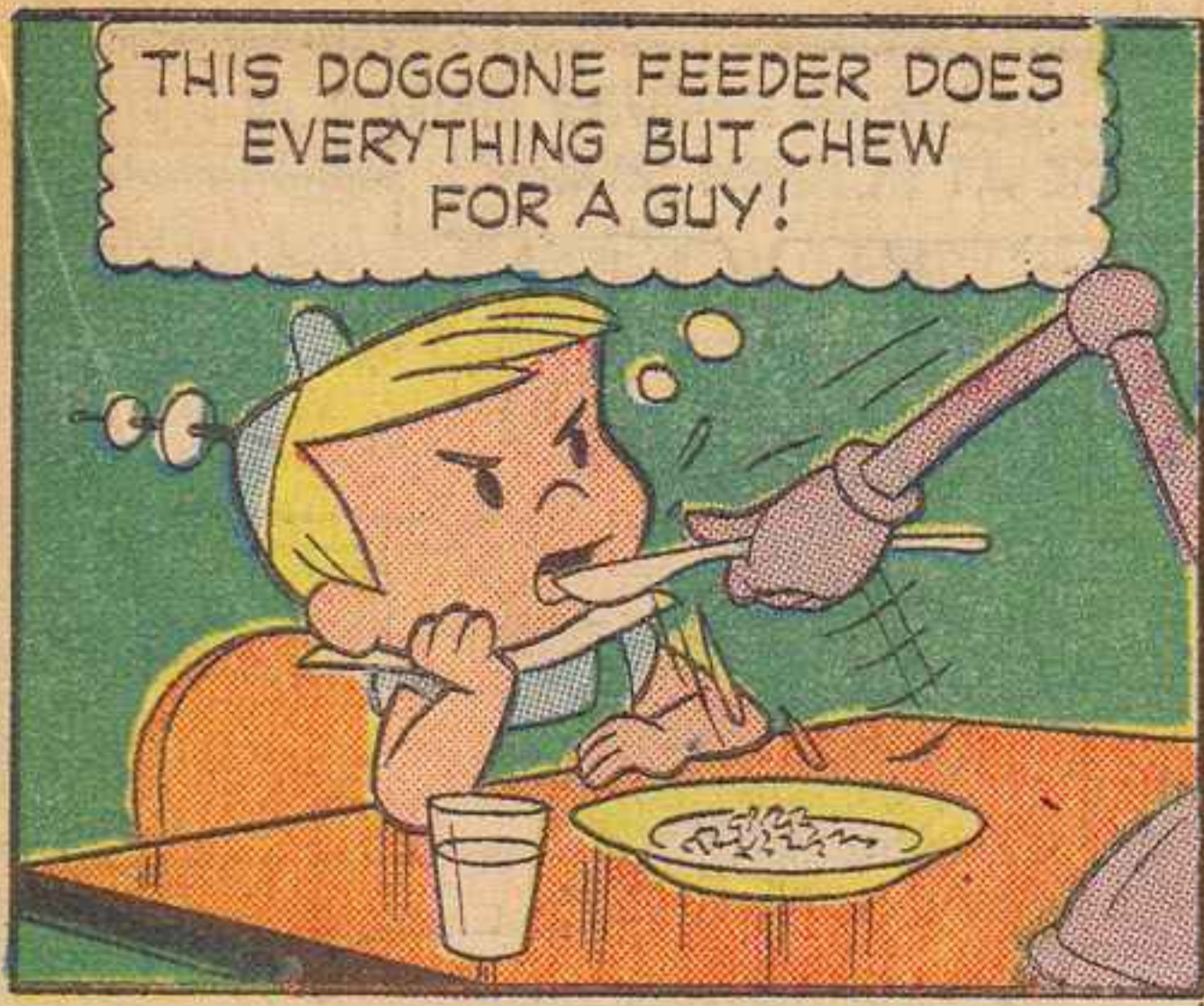
WELL, IT'S STRICTLY
BY ACCIDENT, MOM...



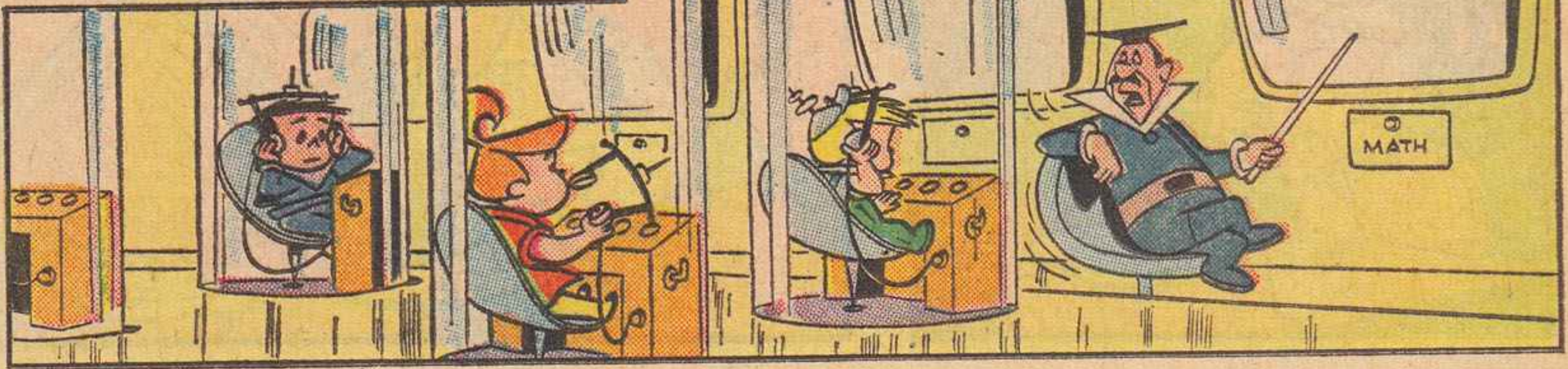
I MADE THE MISTAKE
OF BENDING OVER TO
LOOK AT MY SHOES
WHILE THE AUTOMATIC
SHOE SHINER WAS
STILL... (GULP!)

DON'T TALK WITH
FOOD IN YOUR
MOUTH, DEAR!





YES, IN THE MODERN CLASSROOM
NO ONE CAN GET INTO TROUBLE...
BECAUSE THEY CAN'T GET OUT
OF THEIR TUBES...



ATTENTION... ALL EAR PHONES ON,
AND LOOK AT SCREEN "MATH"!

ONE GOOD THING...THE
TEACHING METHODS ARE
SO SUPER THAT I'M ONLY
IN SCHOOL TWO HOURS!

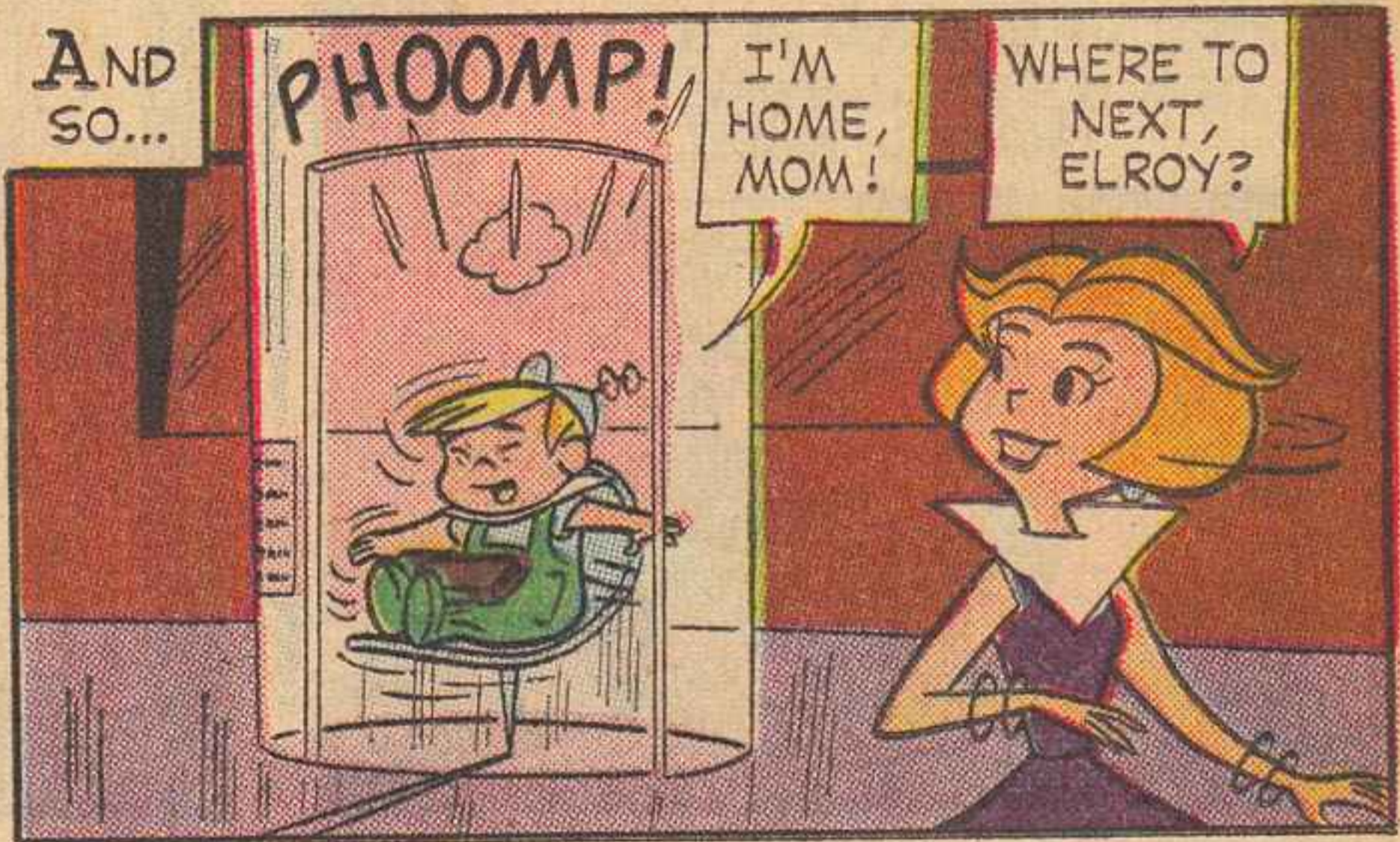


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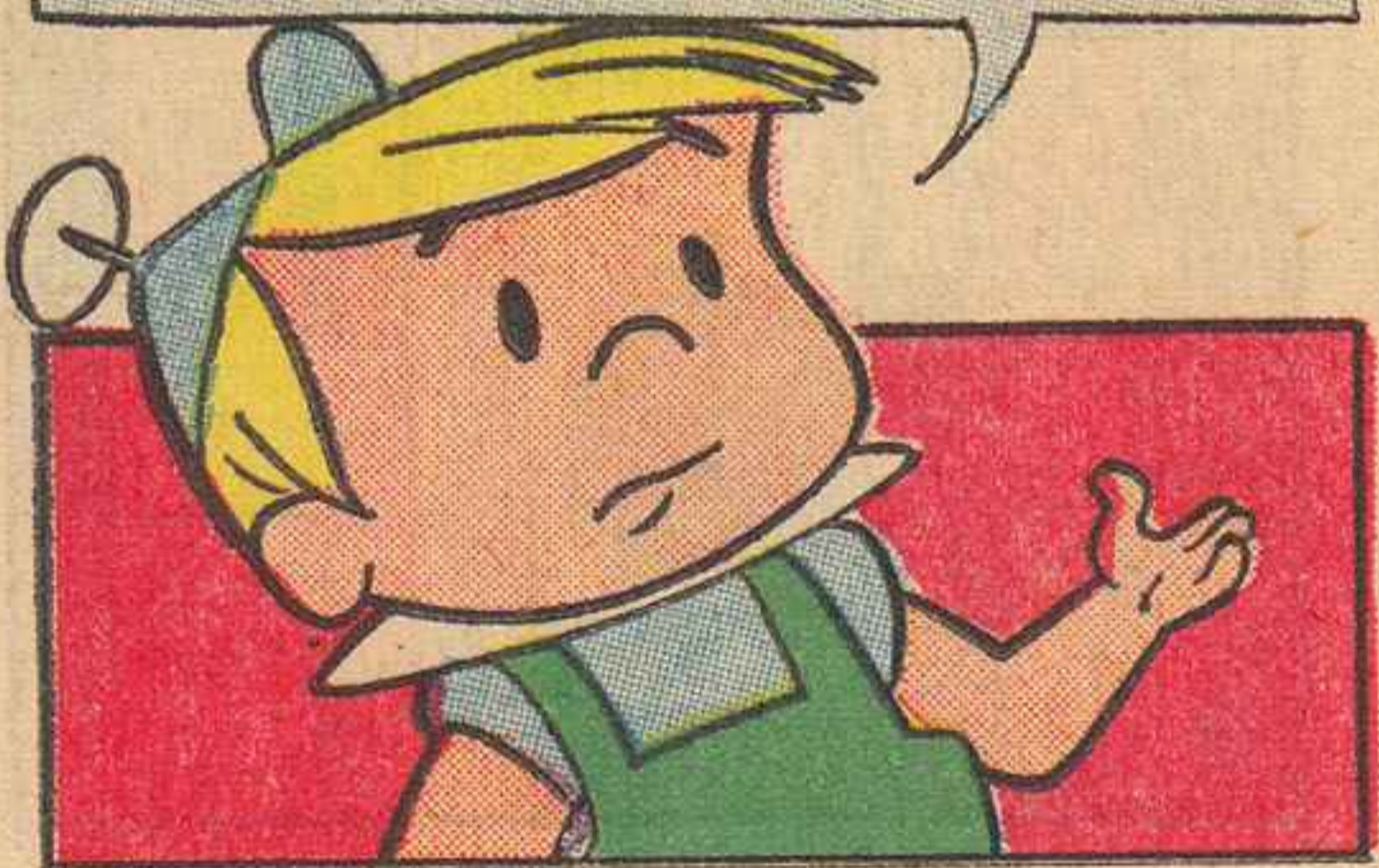
PHOOMP!

I'M
HOME,
MOM!

WHERE TO
NEXT,
ELROY?



ER...I'D LIKE SOME *EXERCISE* FOR
A CHANGE, IF YOU DON'T MIND!

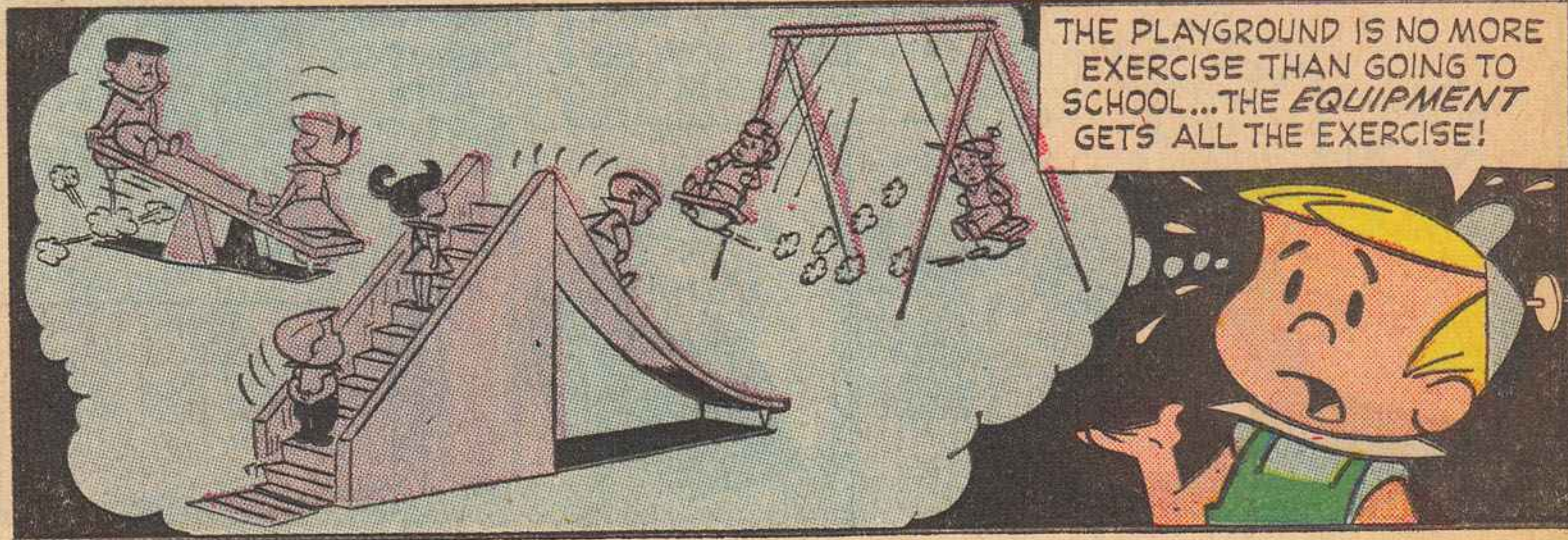


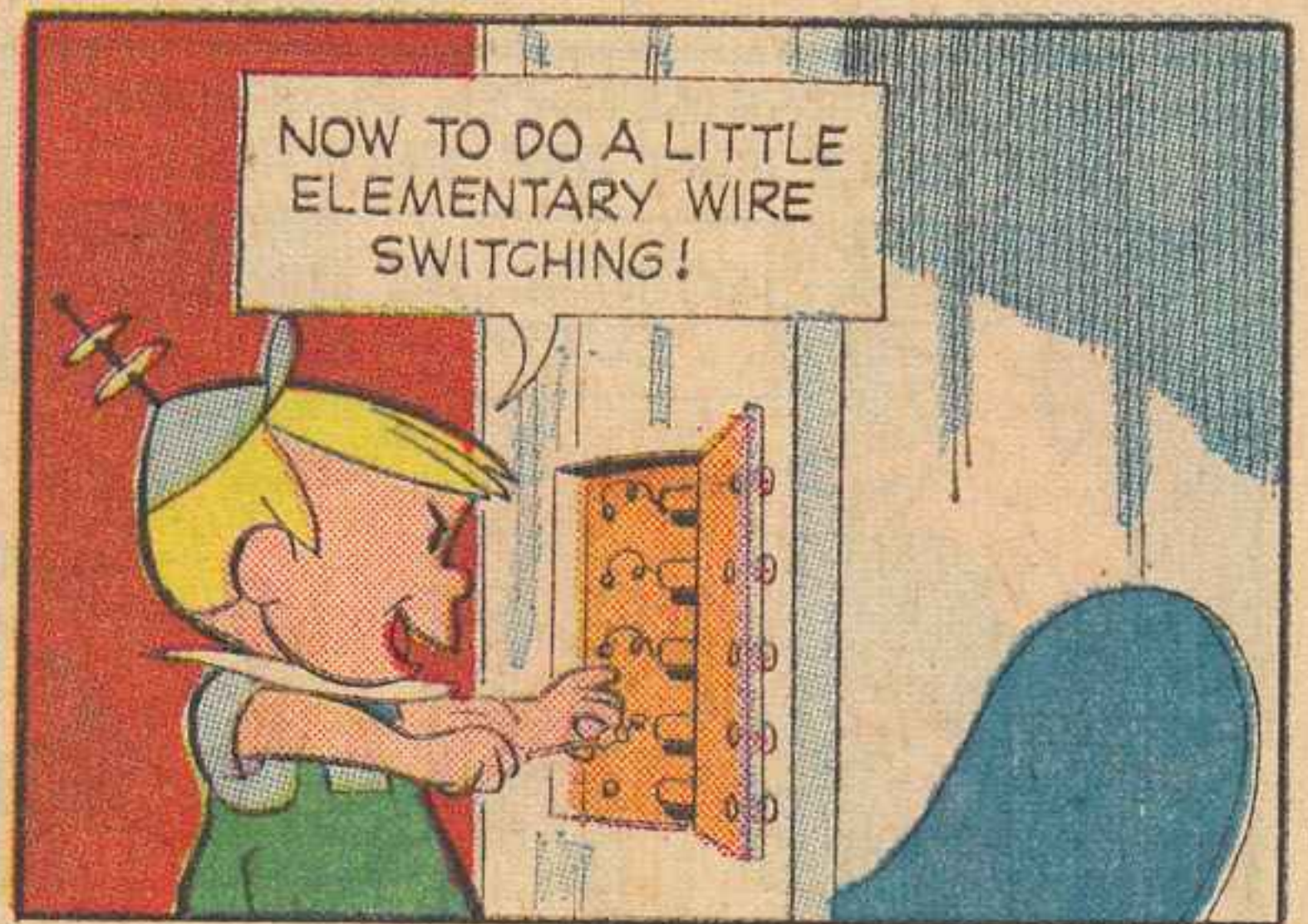
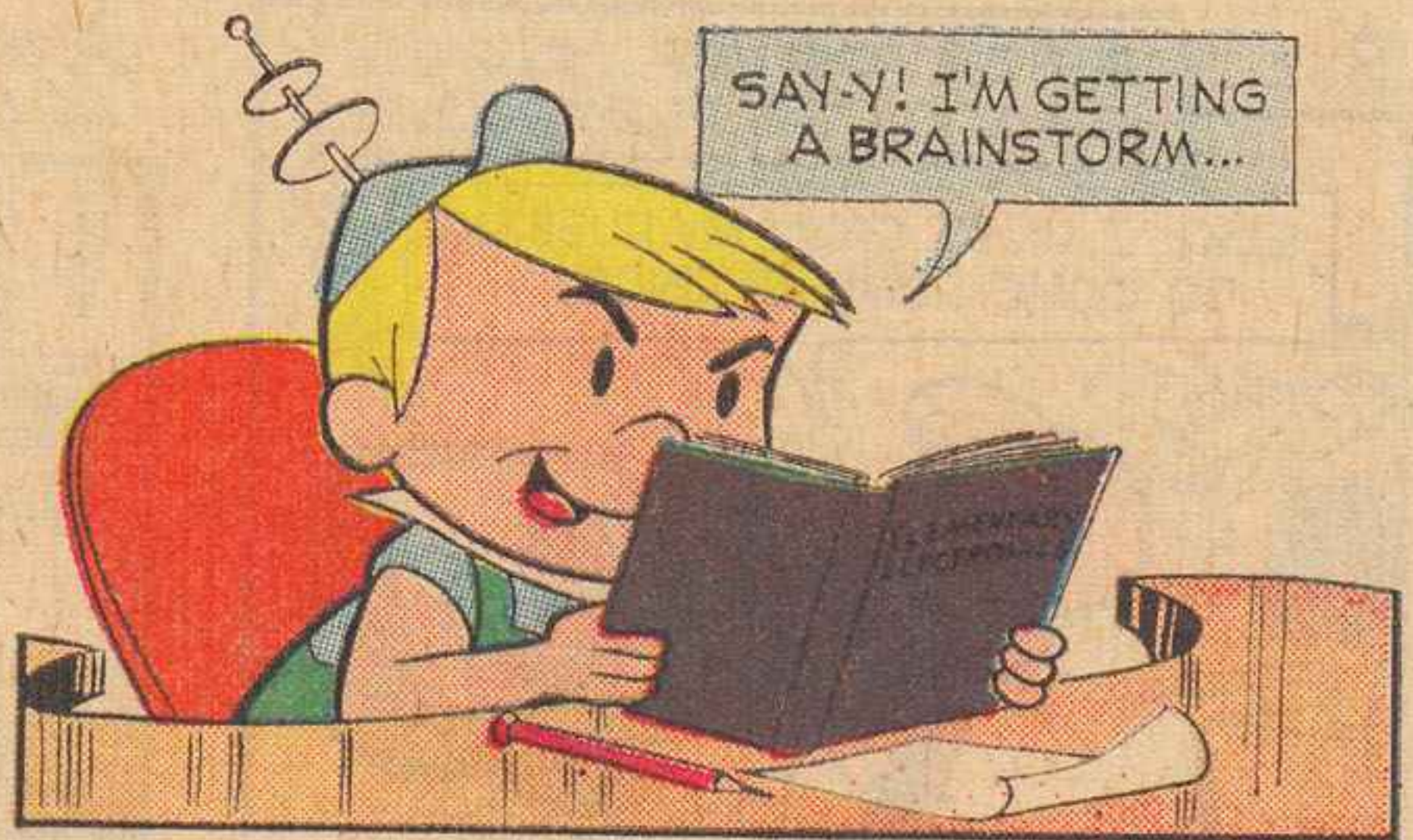
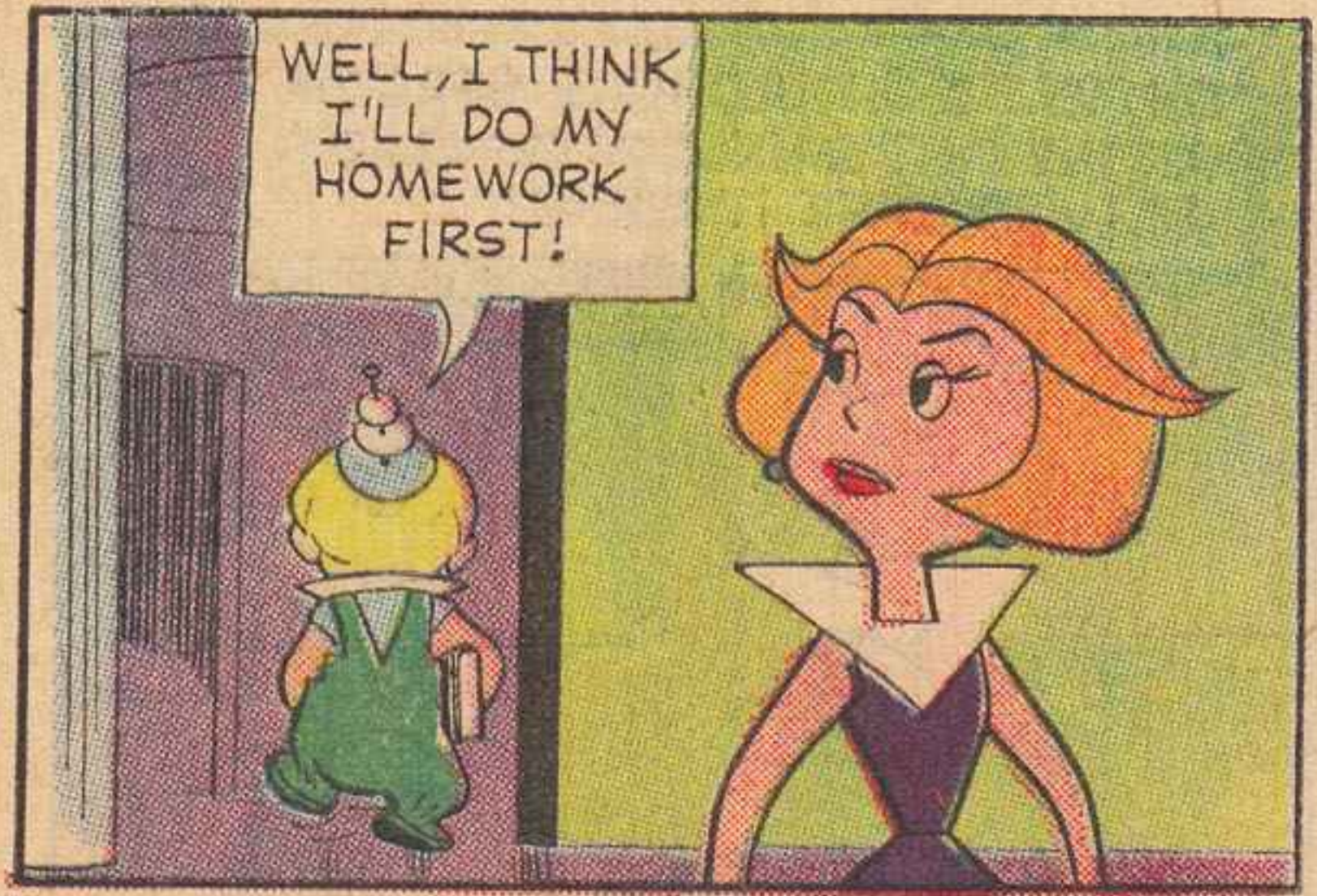
THEN I'LL SEND YOU TO
THE *PLAYGROUND*!

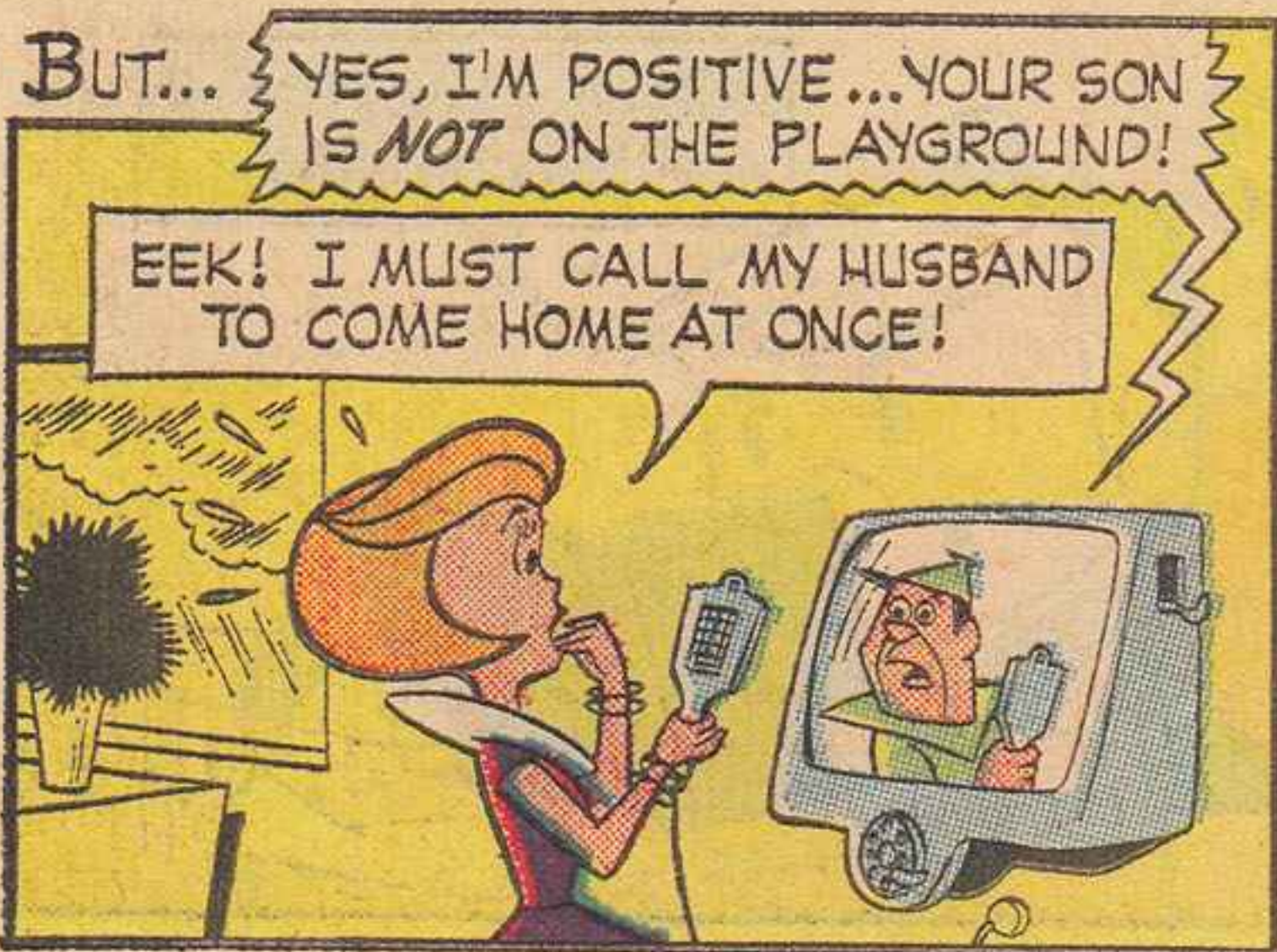
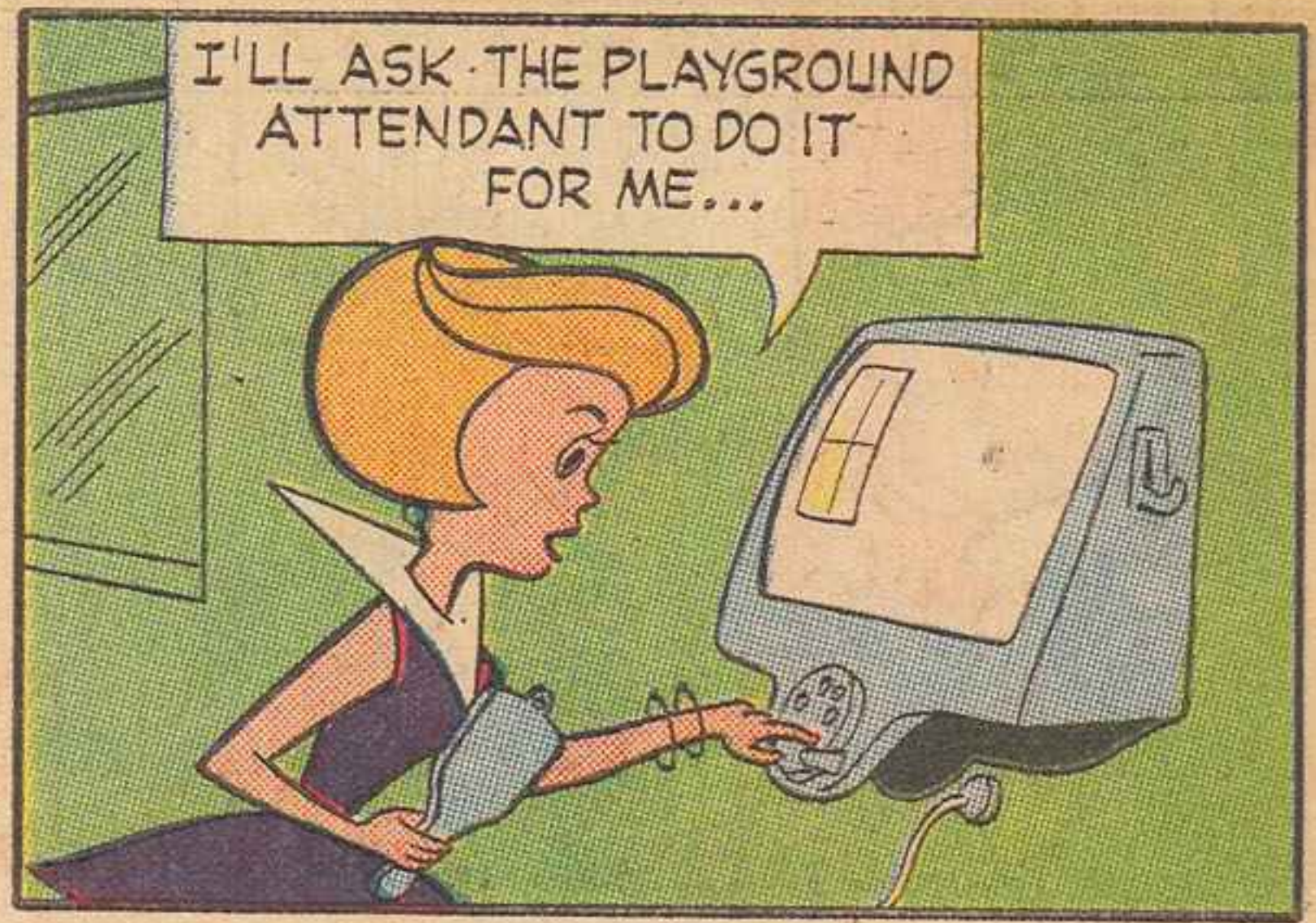
THE *PLAYGROUND*!?

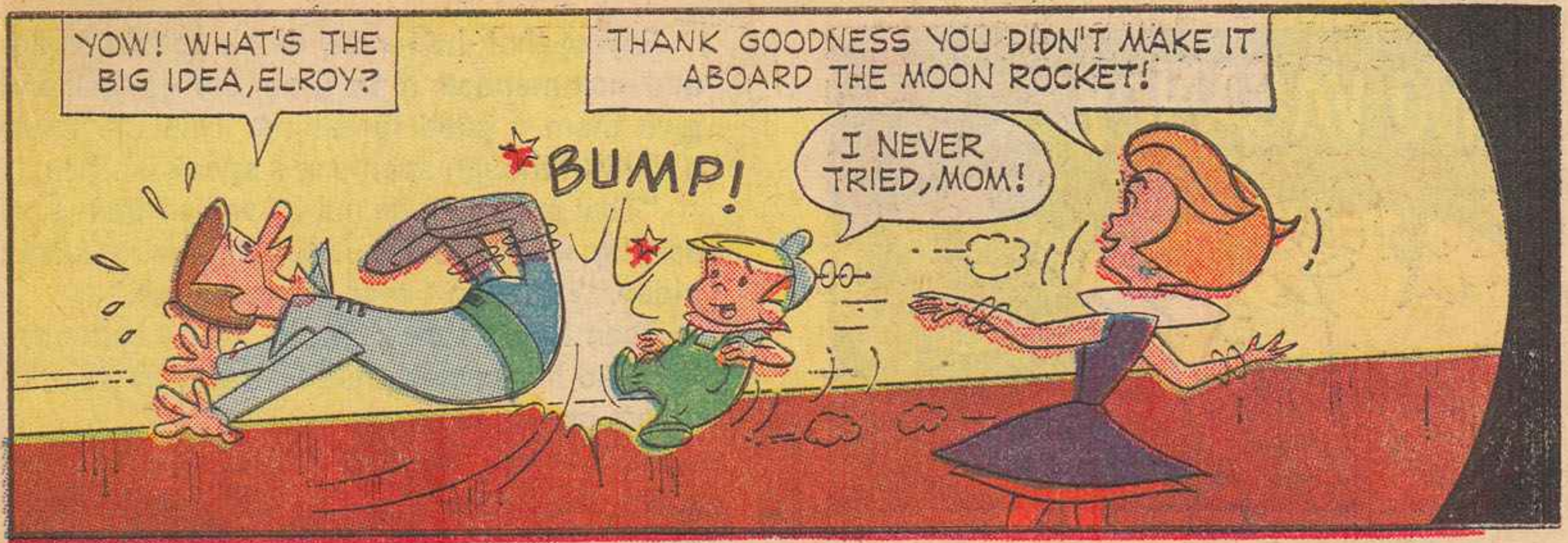


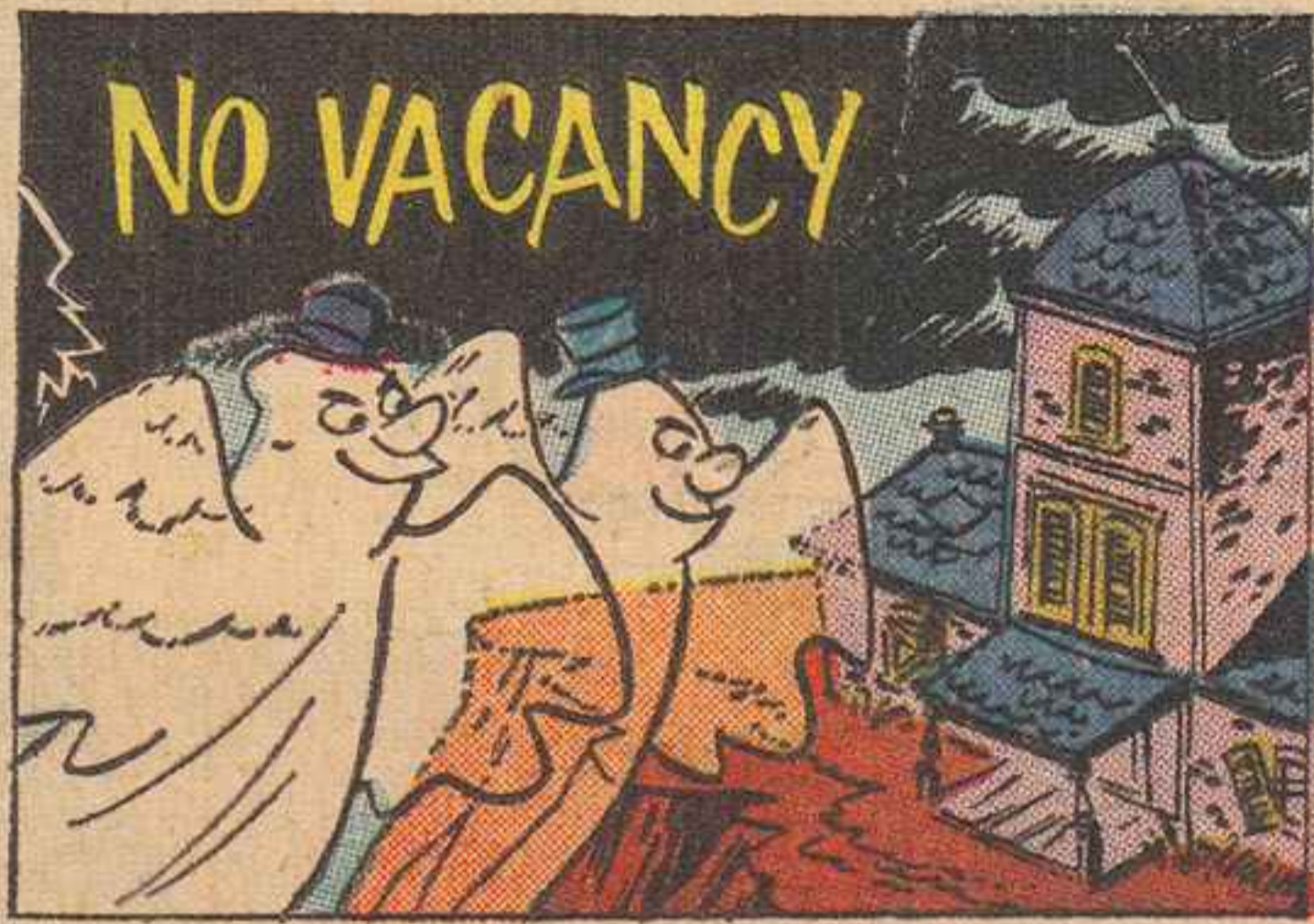
THE PLAYGROUND IS NO MORE
EXERCISE THAN GOING TO
SCHOOL...THE *EQUIPMENT*
GETS ALL THE EXERCISE!











Two ghosts hovered in the air in front of the house of J. Evil Scientist. The night was dark and stormy, and the wind whipped around the old castle-like structure, while lightning streaked and crashed across the sky. (Did you ever notice how ghost stories always start on dark and stormy nights? I mean, you'd think ghosts never went out on warm, sunny afternoons at all.)

"This looks like an ideal spot," said Gunther Ghost to his companion.

"It sure does," replied Spangler Spook. "It is old and crumbling and about to fall apart. It's in a dismal area. It doesn't look like it has any modern conveniences, and it seems plenty cold. In short, everything a ghost could ask for in a house. Let's move right in ...no use looking any further."

"But there are lights in the window. Somebody already lives here," worried Gunther.

"They won't stick around long after we move in," laughed Spangler with a howling cackle that would scare a zombie stiff (except that zombies are already stiff).

Without more ado, they flitted through the solid door into the dark, forbidding house.

First, they looked into the laboratory where J. Evil was working on his latest invention—a light bulb that would make everything dark when you turned it on.

"We'll give him the old chain treatment. That is always a sure way to start them running," said Gunther.

Spangler and Gunther rattled their heavy chains and howled at the top of their lungs to scare J. Evil.

He looked around angrily from his bench. "How dare you bother me when I'm working! You must be a couple of Junior's dumb friends. I'll teach you a lesson!"

Saying that, he turned on his robot servant and commanded it to grab the ghosts and give them a good thrashing. This the robot did, even though spanking a spook isn't easy.

"That guy must be nuts," wailed Spangler, as they went upstairs, rubbing their bruised hides. "He wasn't even scared of us."

Then they passed Mrs. J. Evil's bedroom. She had her back turned to them, as she put cream on her face.

"Come on. Women are always easy to scare. We'll at least get her out of the house," said Spangler Spook.

They crept up behind Goonda and wailed at the top of their lungs. Goonda spun around and looked straight at the ghosts.

"EEEEYOWWWWWWWW!!!"

That wasn't Goonda. It was the ghosts, after they had seen Goonda with all her cream on her face and her hair up in curlers.

"Isn't there anybody in this house we can terrorize? They're all scarier than we are," said Gunther.

Just then they both spotted Junior's room. "Everybody knows kids are the easiest of anybody to scare," grinned Gunther, as they glided into Junior's room.

Half an hour later they dragged themselves out, after escaping from a game of "pin the tail on the ghost."

"Don't leave," Junior yelled after the fleeing spooks. "I wanted to try out my new toy guillotine."

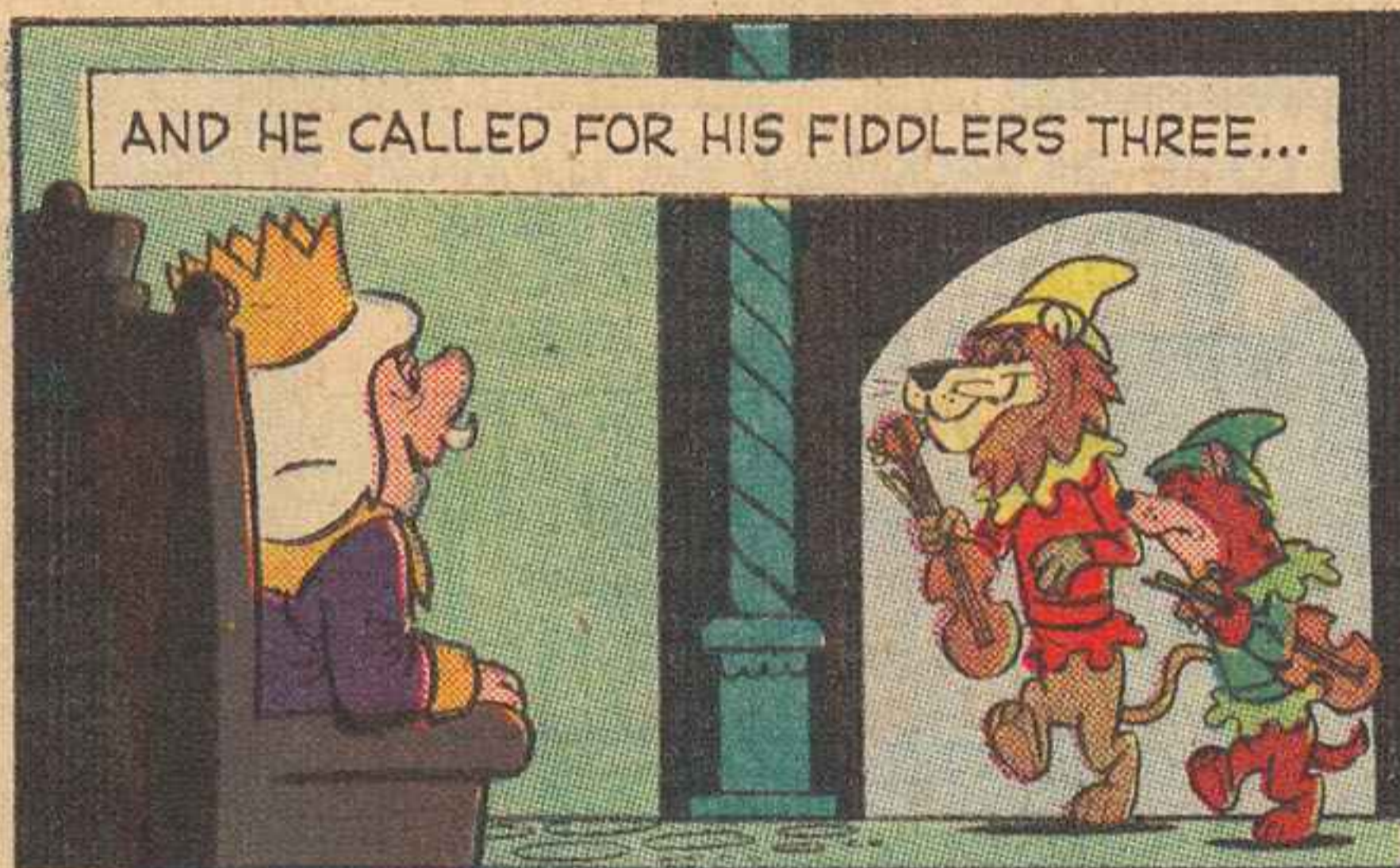
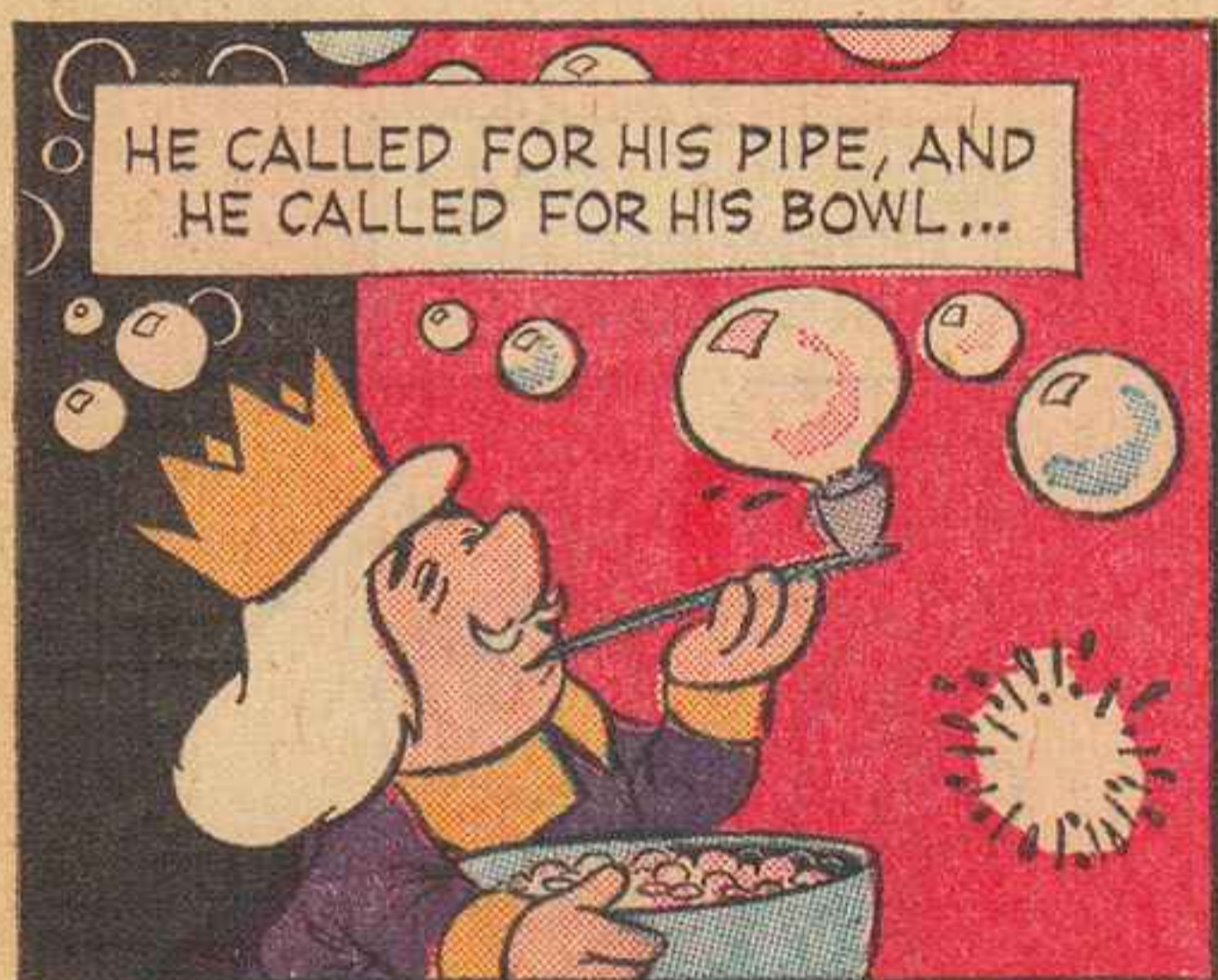
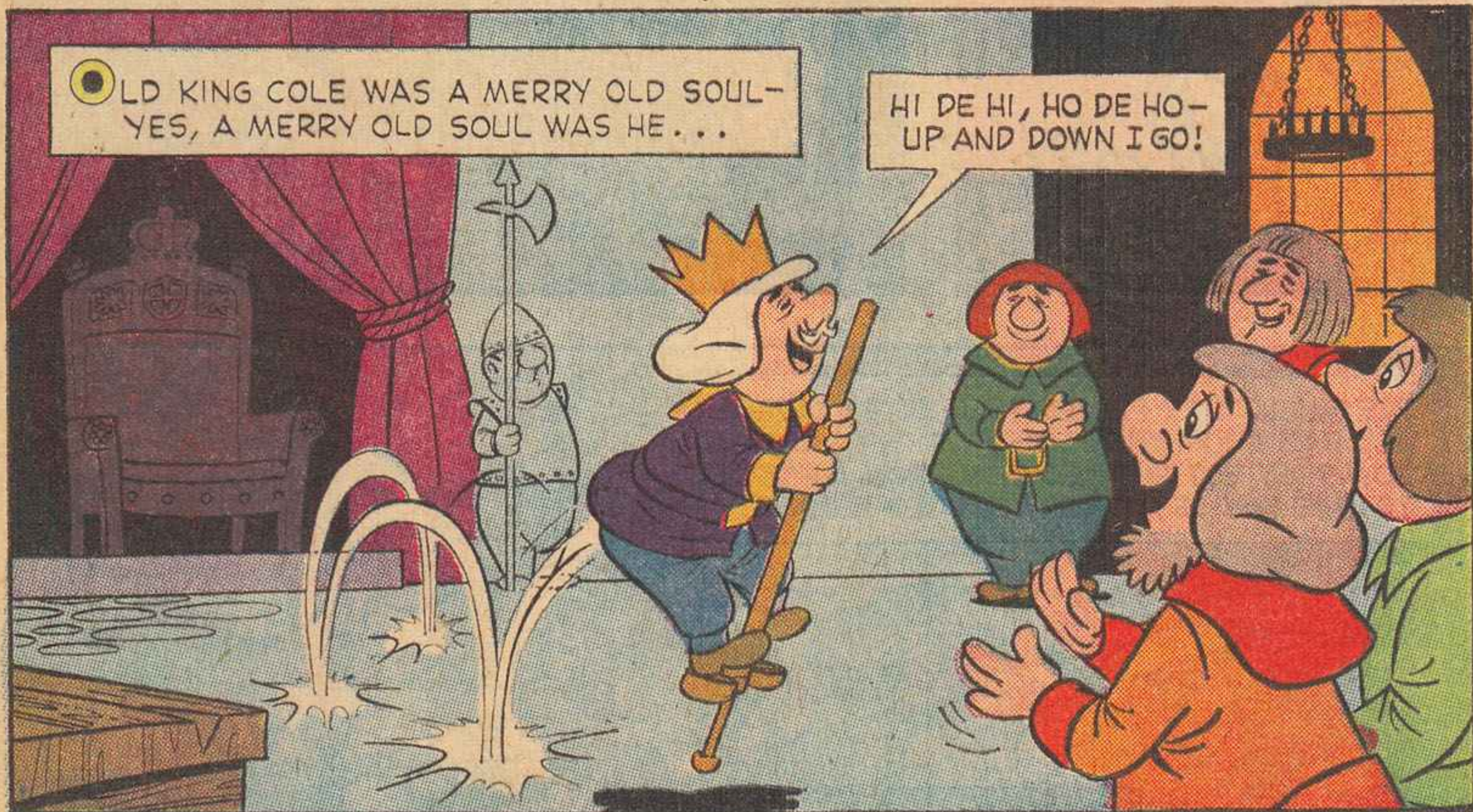
As the sadder-but-wiser ghosts swished out of the house into the cold, dark night, they met another ghost who was about to enter. He, too, had the idea of moving in.

"I wouldn't go in there if I were you," Gunther and Spangler cried in unison. "The place is haunted!"



Hanna-Barbera
Lippy Lion
and Hardy
Har Har

TWO FIDDLERS ARE CHEAPER THAN THREE



'TIS ALL RIGHT WITH ME!
TWO FIDDLERS ARE
CHEAPER THAN THREE!



THEN WITH A GRIN, THE KING BID THEM TO PLAY,
A DECISION HE'D REGRET THE REST OF THE DAY...



THE MUSIC THEY PLAYED WAS QUITE FEARFUL,
ALL RAN FROM THE ROOM AT FIRST EARFUL!
HOW THEY GOT SUCH SOUNDS FROM A FIDDLE,
TO THIS DAY IS A GREAT BIG OLD RIDDLE!



COME ON BACK
BEFORE WE
GET SAD!

YOU'LL MAKE
US THINK
OUR PLAYING
IS BAD!



BAD? IT'S AWFUL!
I HEREBY DECLARE
IT UNLAWFUL!

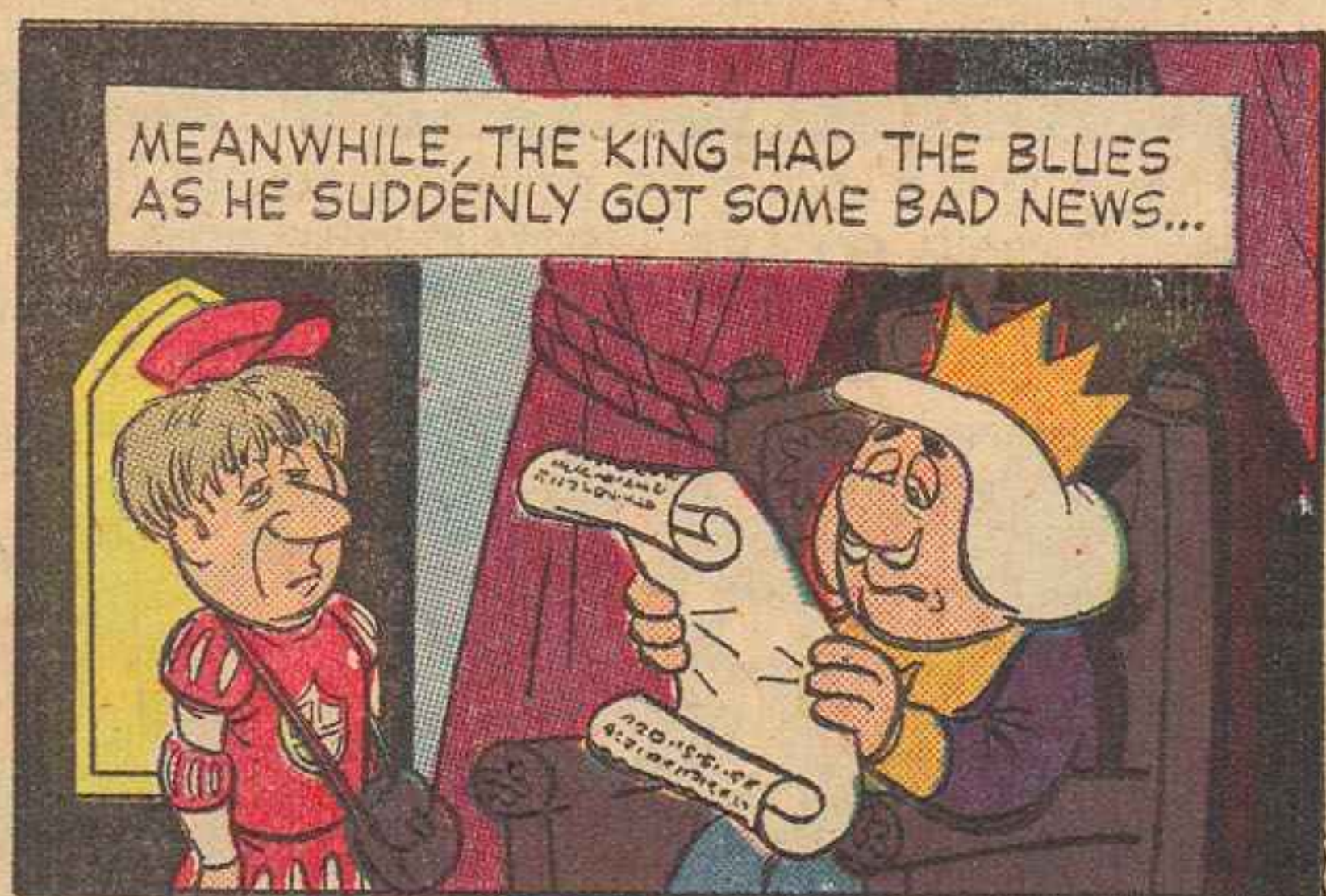
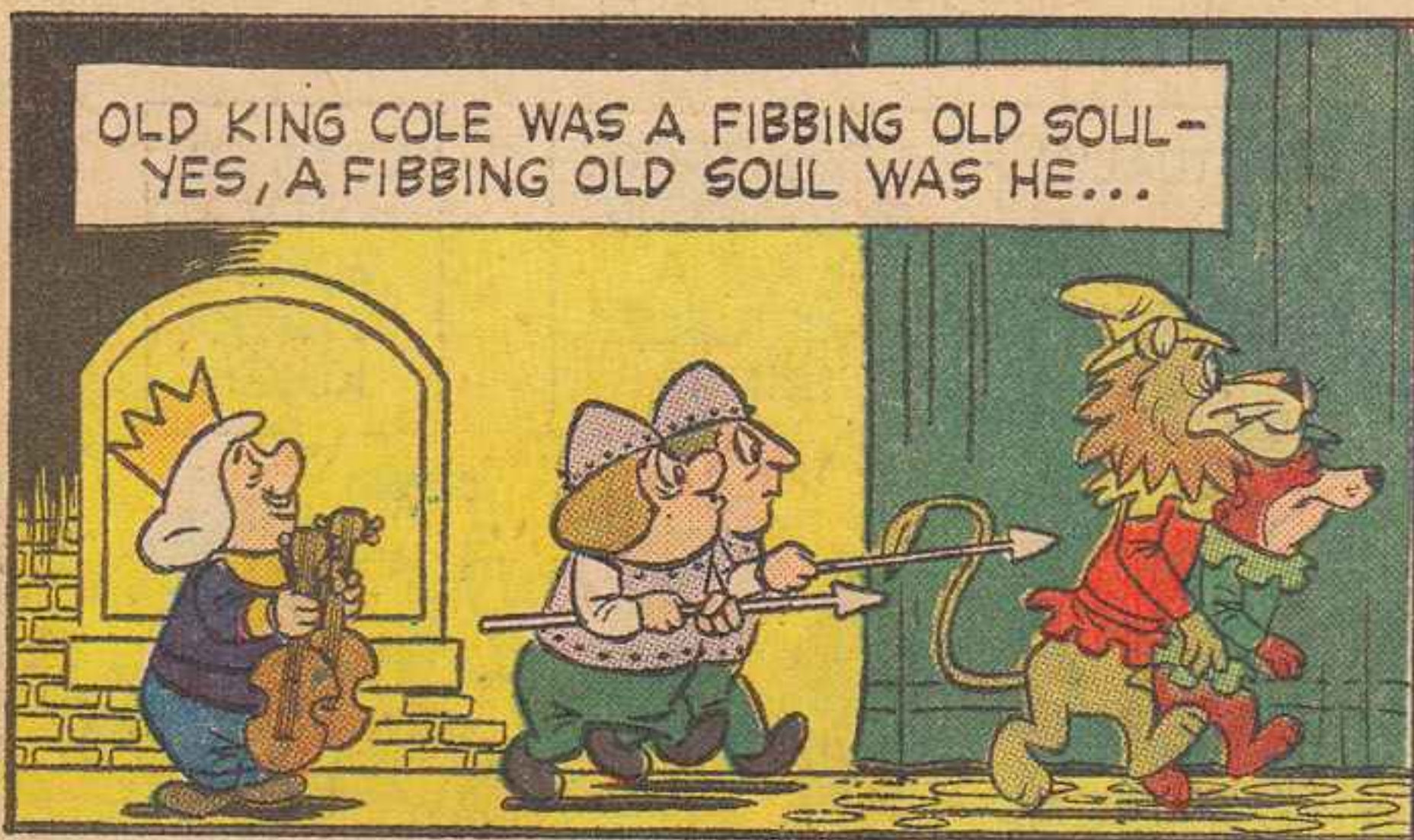
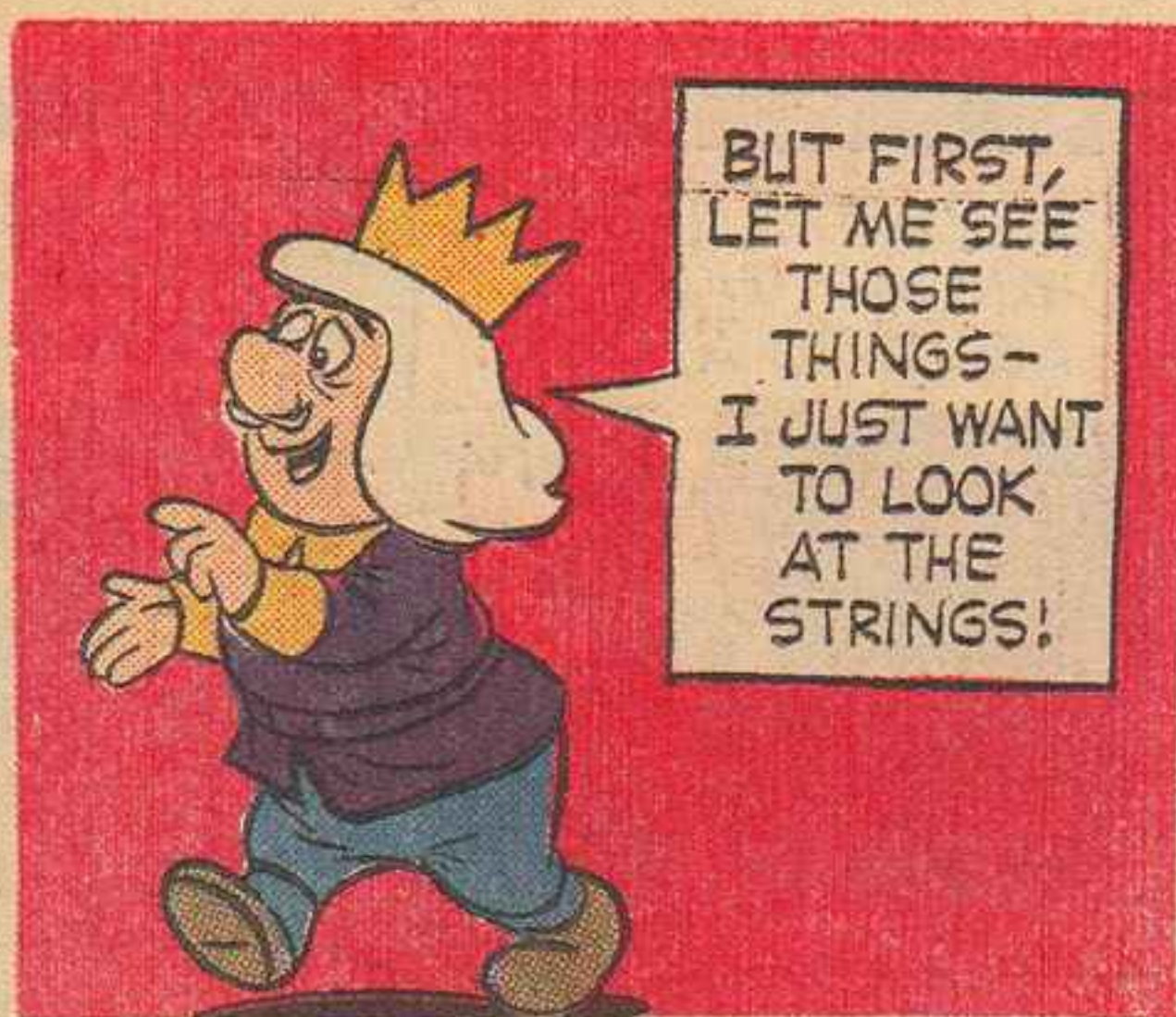


FOR DISLOCATING MY
ROYAL EAR-I ORDER
YOU LOCKED UP FOR
A YEAR!



BUT AS THEY COME CLOSER,
LIPPY STARTED TO PLAY—
NO MORTAL COULD STAND THAT,
SO THE GUARDS RAN AWAY.

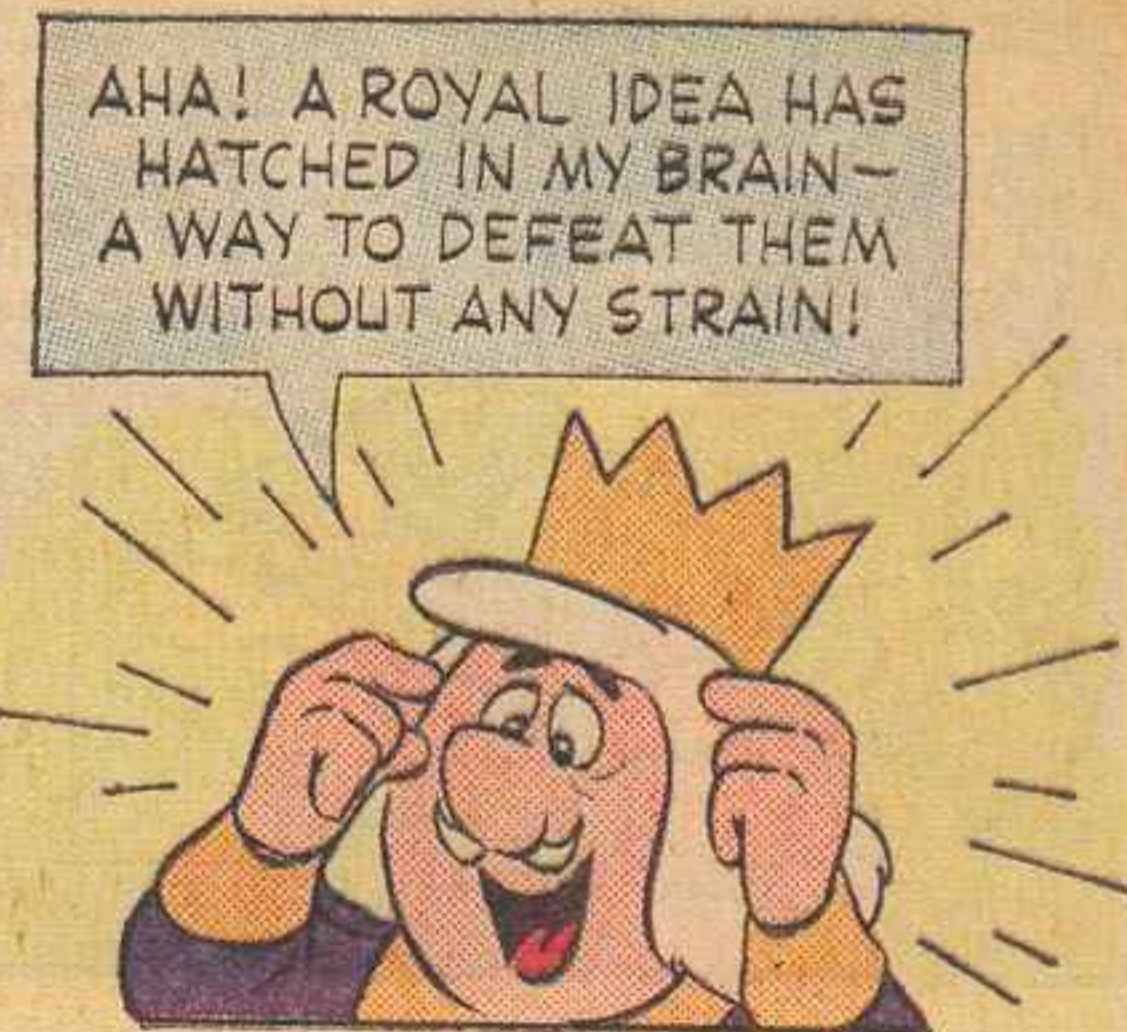






(ULP!) THE NAUGHTY KNIGHT GANG IS ABOUT TO ATTACK!

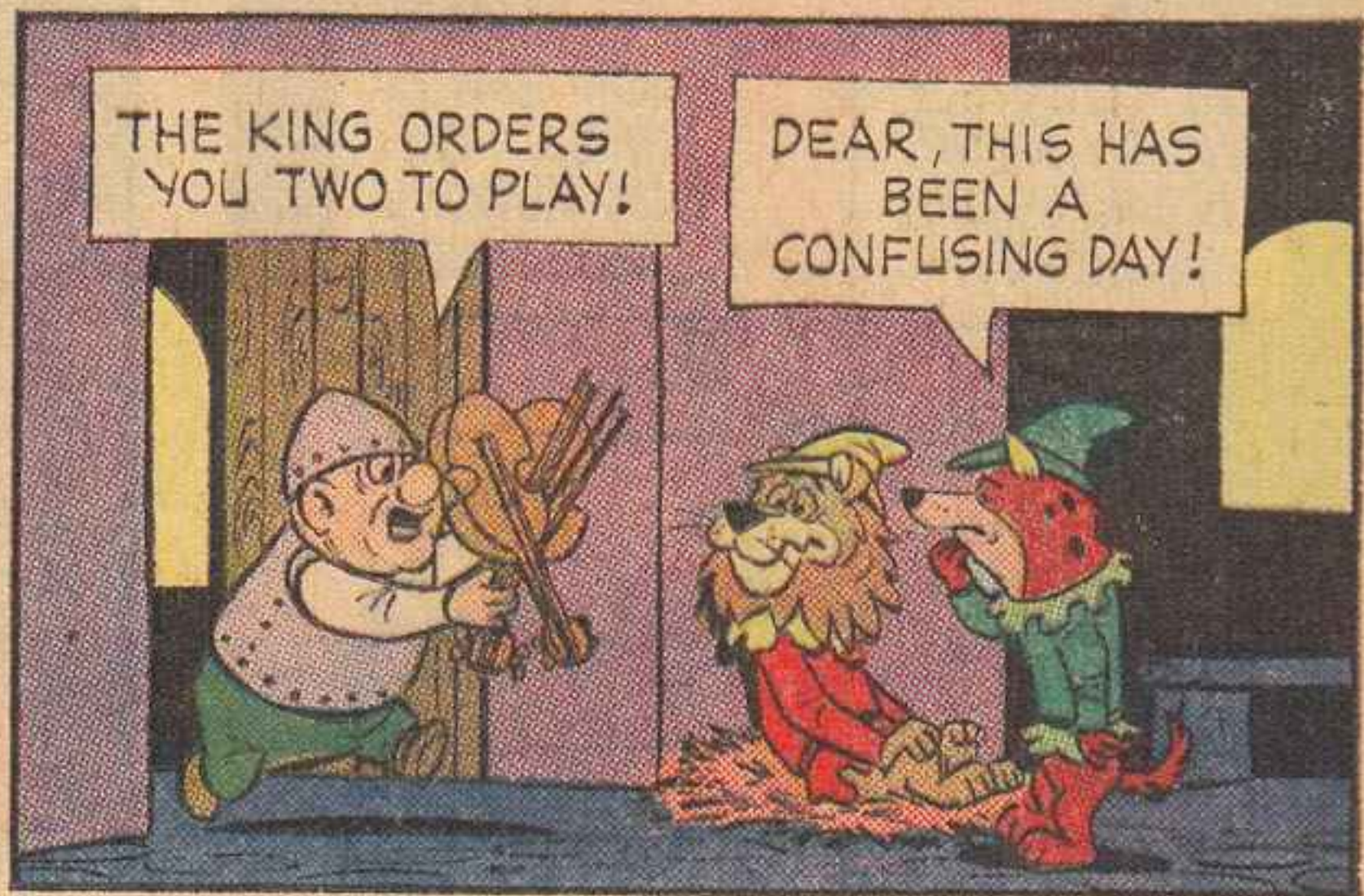
AND WE DON'T HAVE ENOUGH MEN TO DRIVE THEM BACK!



AHA! A ROYAL IDEA HAS HATCHED IN MY BRAIN— A WAY TO DEFEAT THEM WITHOUT ANY STRAIN!

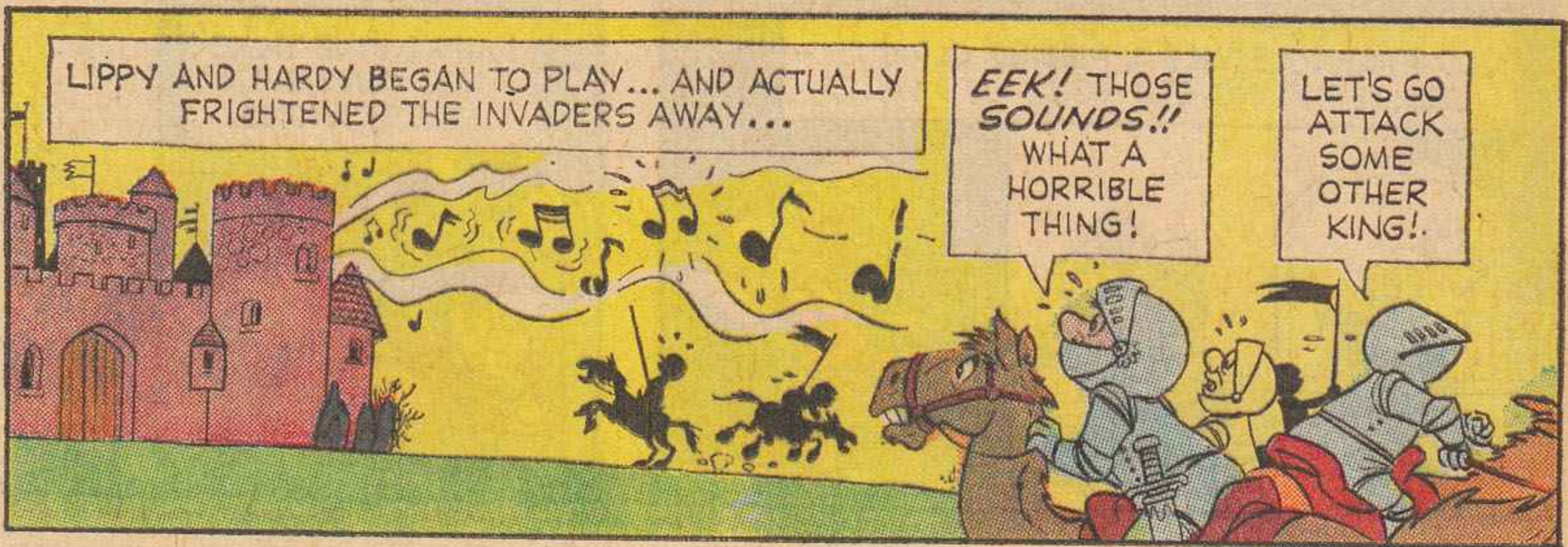


TAKE THESE UP TO THE TOWER, GUARD— THEN WE'LL ALL HOLD OUR EARS, AND HARD!



THE KING ORDERS YOU TWO TO PLAY!

DEAR, THIS HAS BEEN A CONFUSING DAY!



LIPPY AND HARDY BEGAN TO PLAY... AND ACTUALLY FRIGHTENED THE INVADERS AWAY...

EEK! THOSE SOUNDS!! WHAT A HORRIBLE THING!

LET'S GO ATTACK SOME OTHER KING!



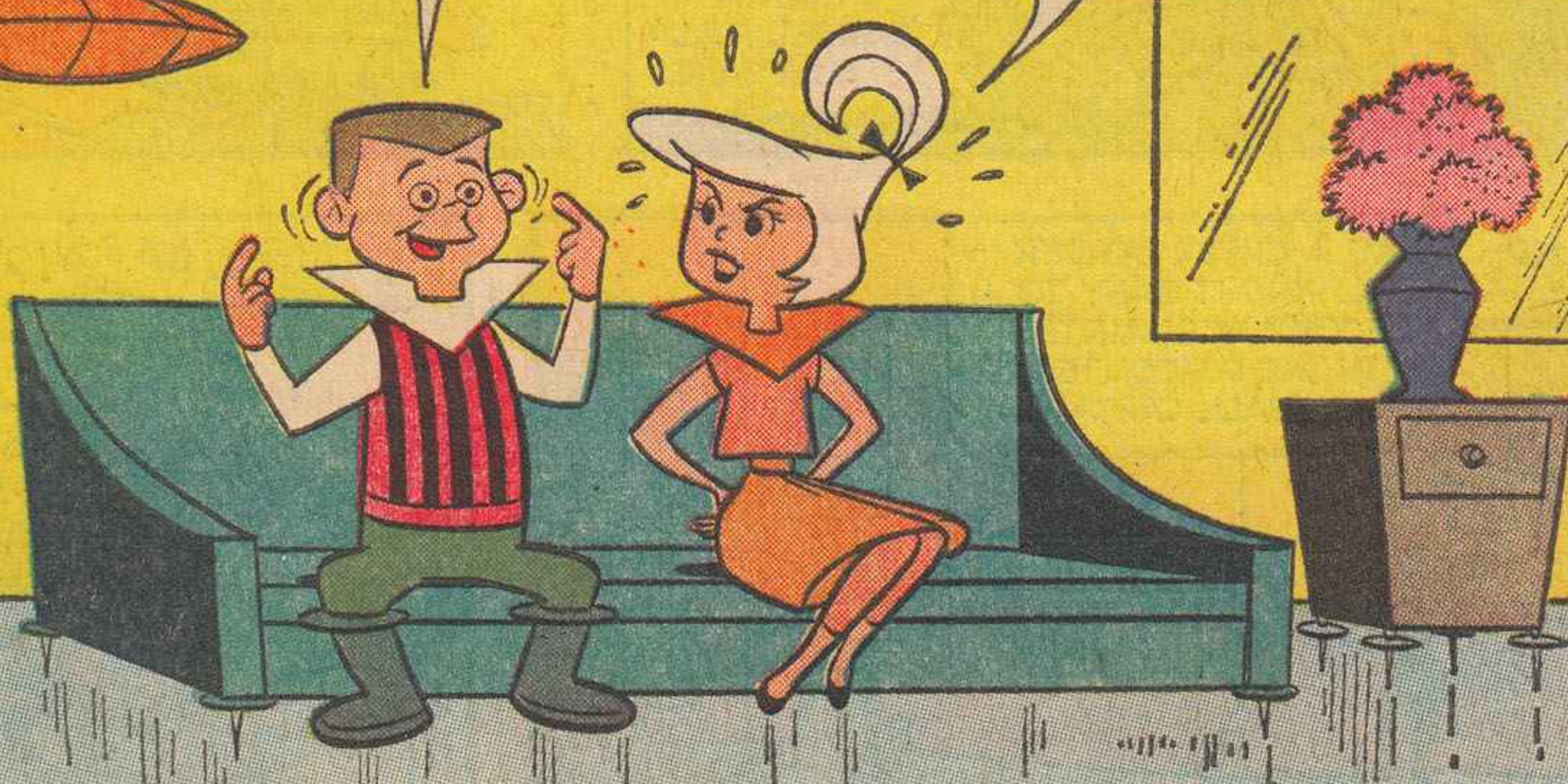
OLD KING COLE IS STILL A MERRY SOUL AND SO ARE LIPPY AND HARDY— COURT HEROES IS THEIR BRAND-NEW ROLE AND LIFE IS ONE LONG PARTY...

MORAL
FIDDLING AROUND PAYS OFF... SOMETIMES!

DOUBLE DATING

SURE, I'M GOOD FOR SOMETHING BESIDES TALKING ABOUT HOT SPACE RODS, JUDY... SEE? I CAN WIGGLE MY EARS!

OH, ORVIE, YOUR BEHAVIOR IS STRICTLY PREHISTORIC!

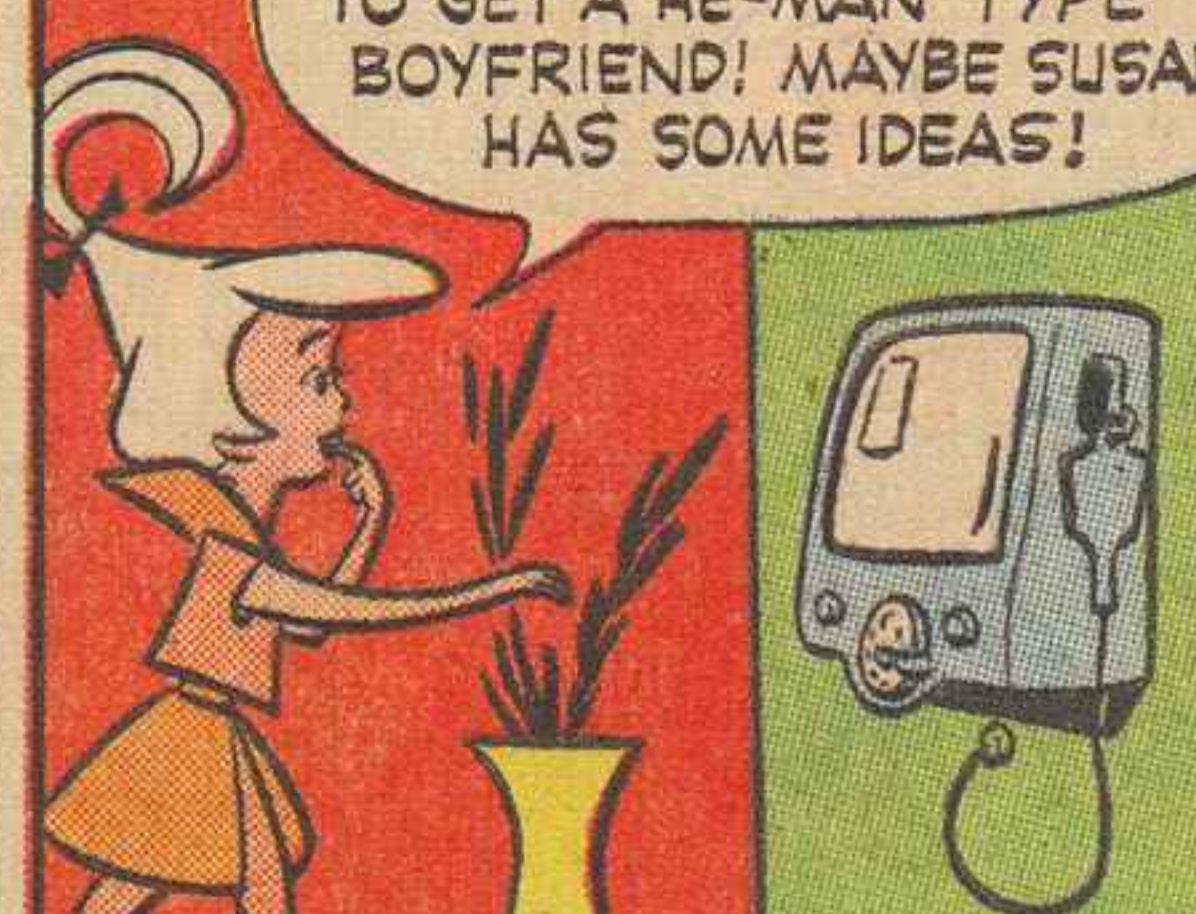


WE'RE FINISHED, ORVIE... WASHED-UP! GOOD-BY FOREVER!

ER... I'LL CALL YOU UP WHEN YOU'RE FEELING BETTER!



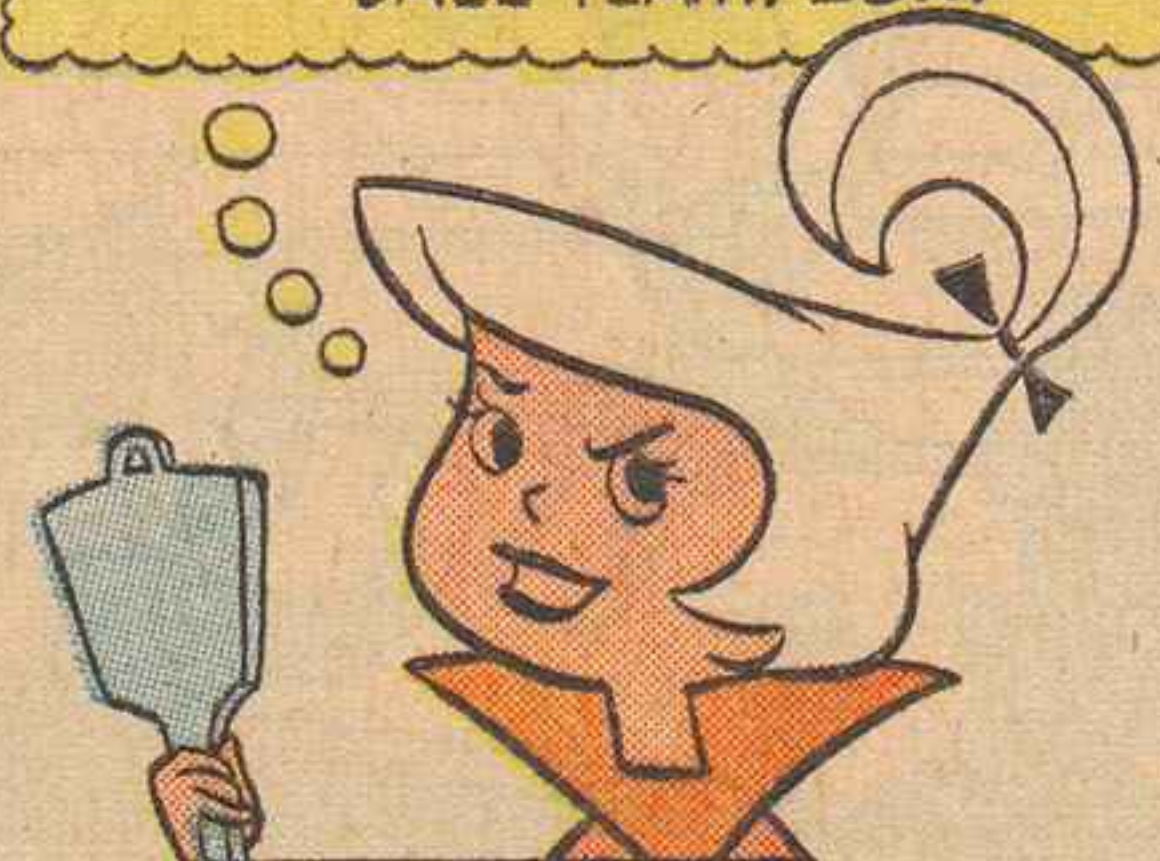
NOW IF I ONLY KNEW WHERE TO GET A HE-MAN TYPE BOYFRIEND! MAYBE SUSAN HAS SOME IDEAS!

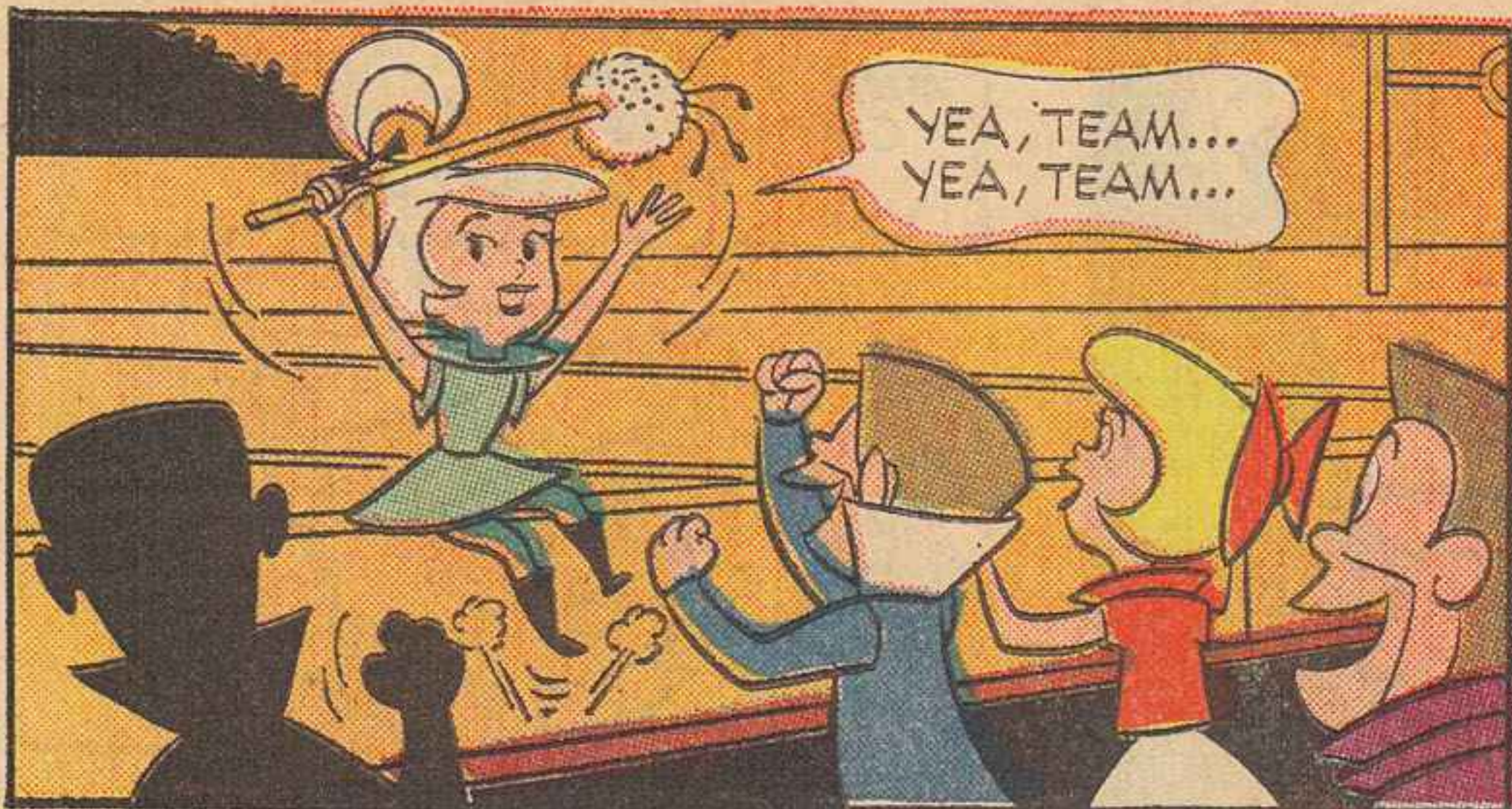
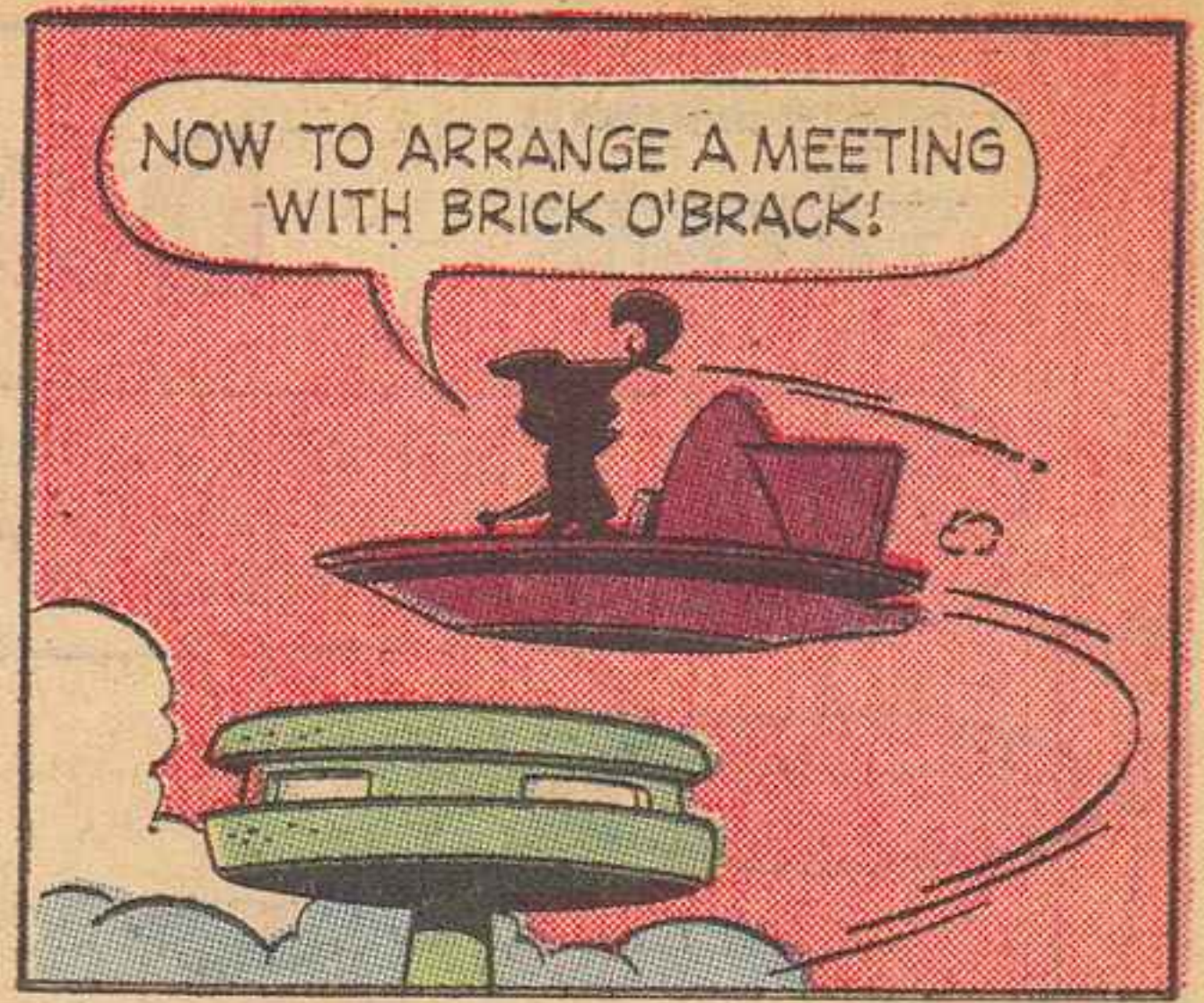
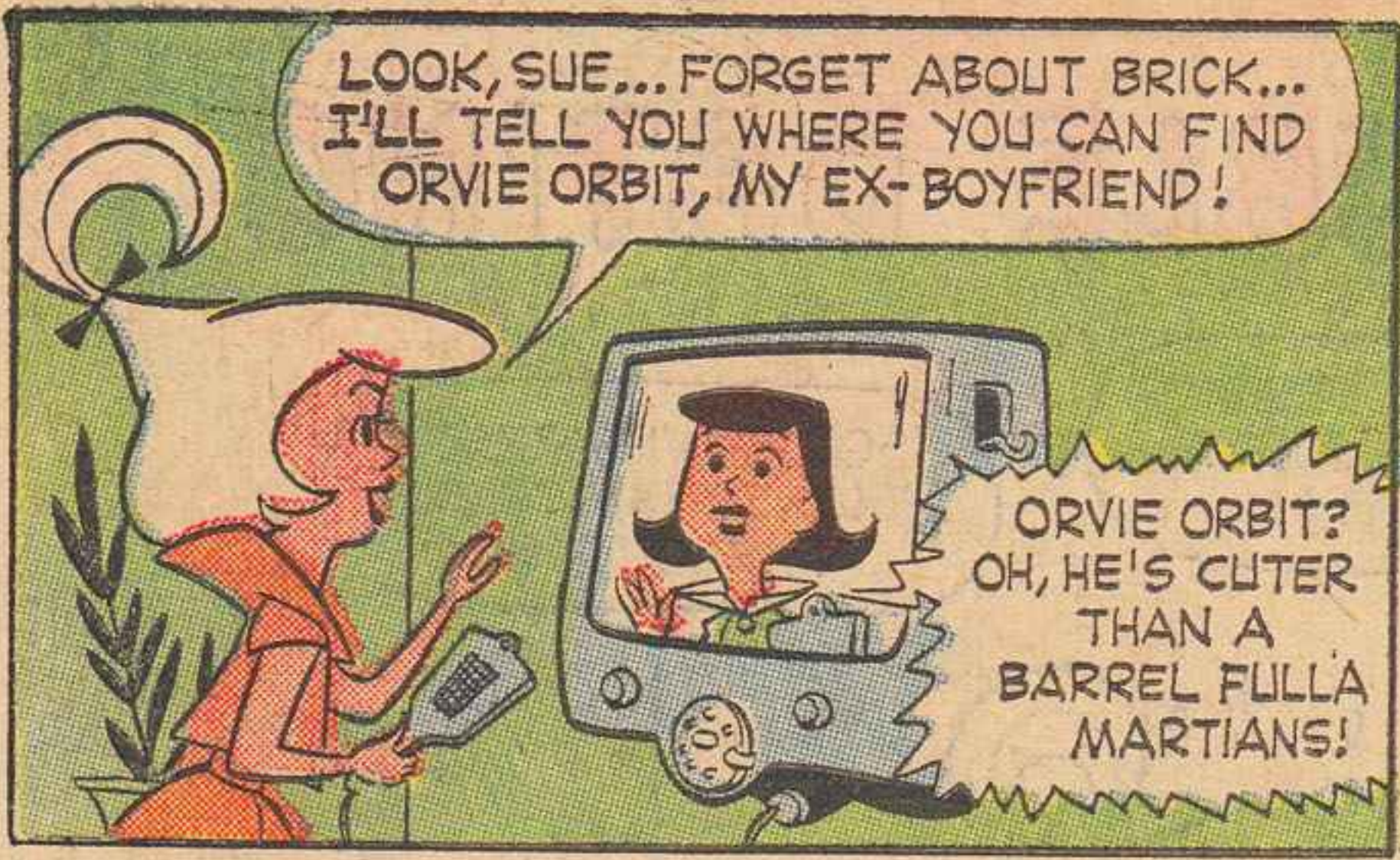


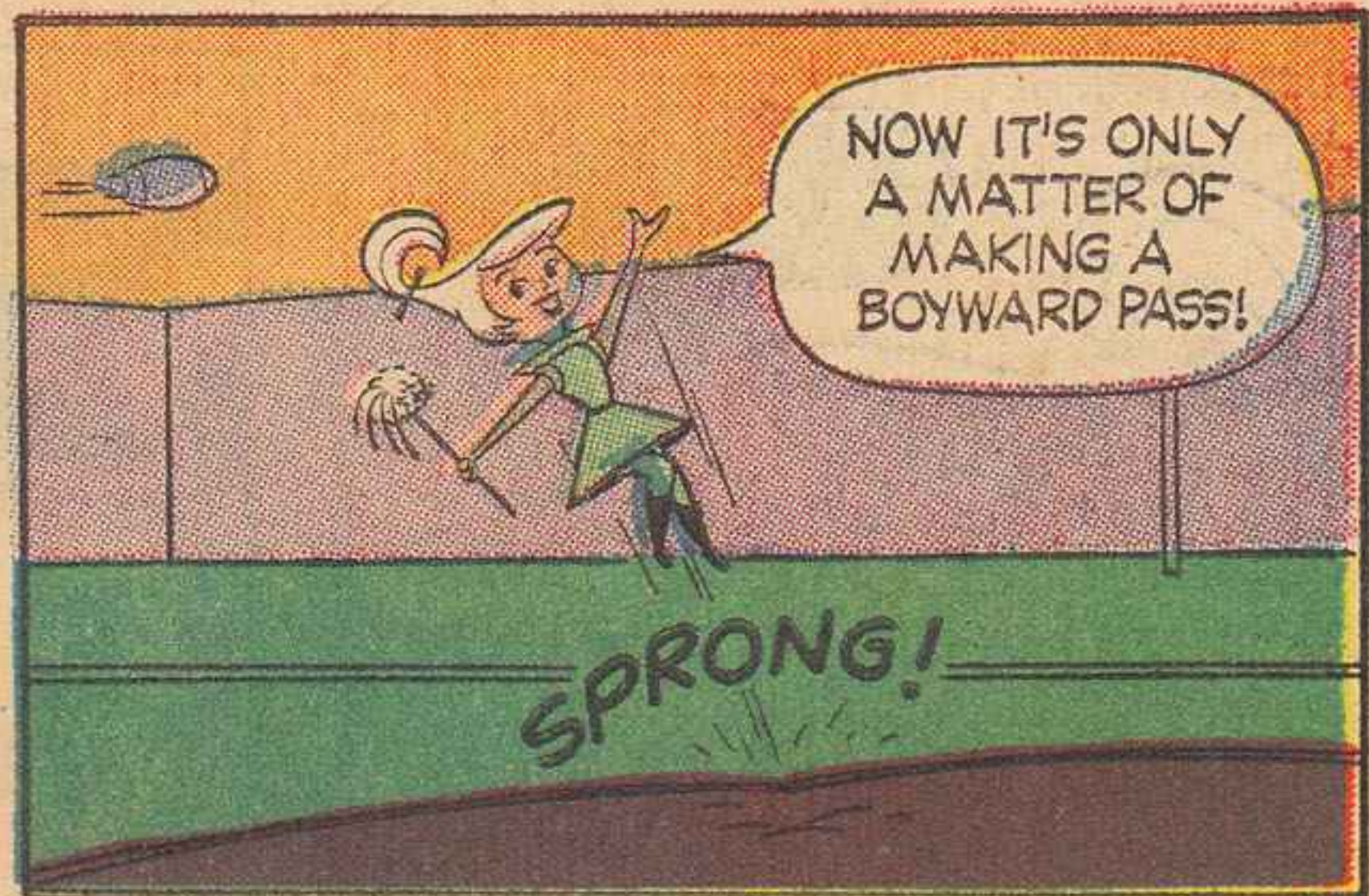
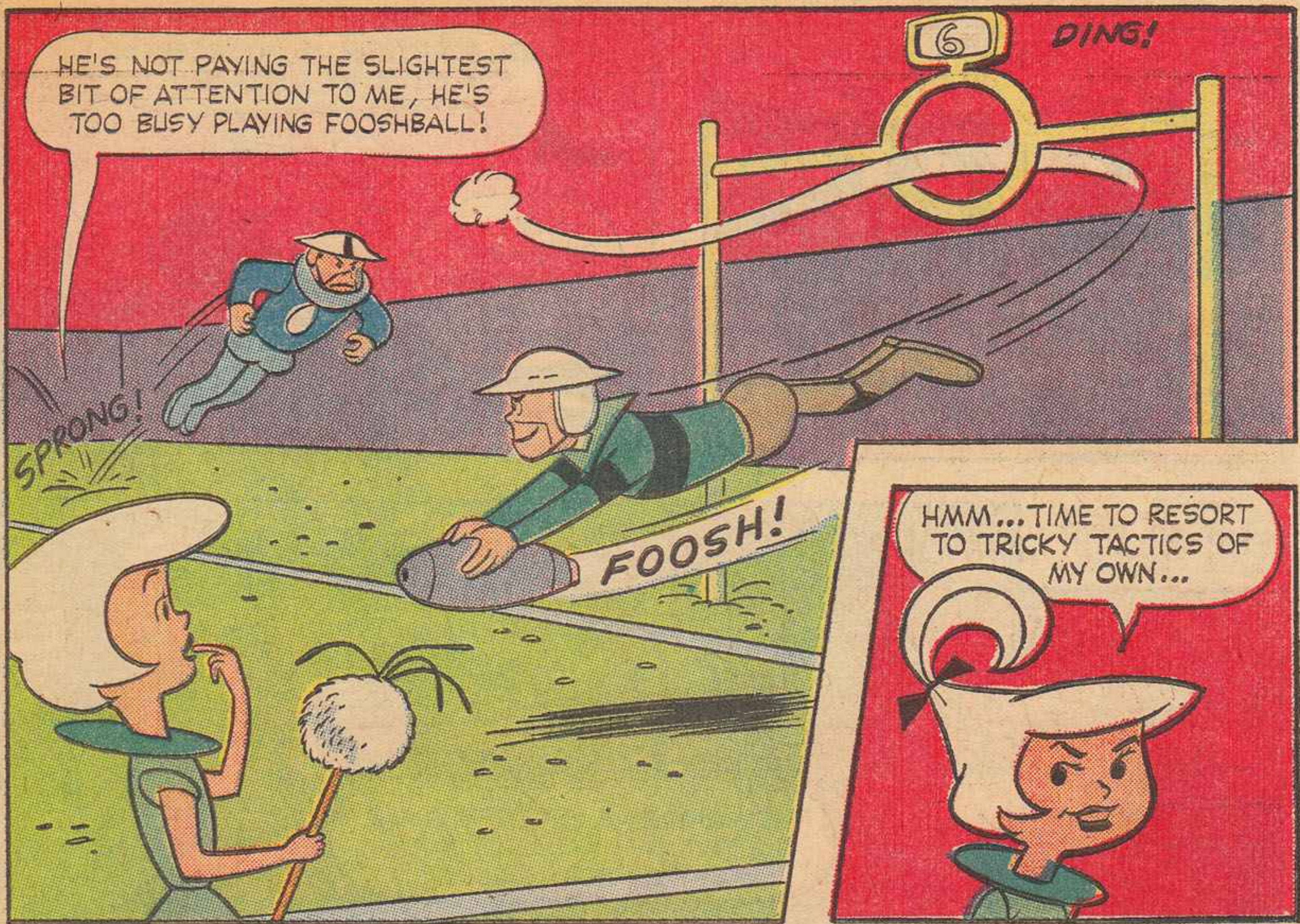
BOO-HOO... BRICK O'BRACK AND I HAVE SPLIT-UP... BOO-HOO... I DESPISE HIM!

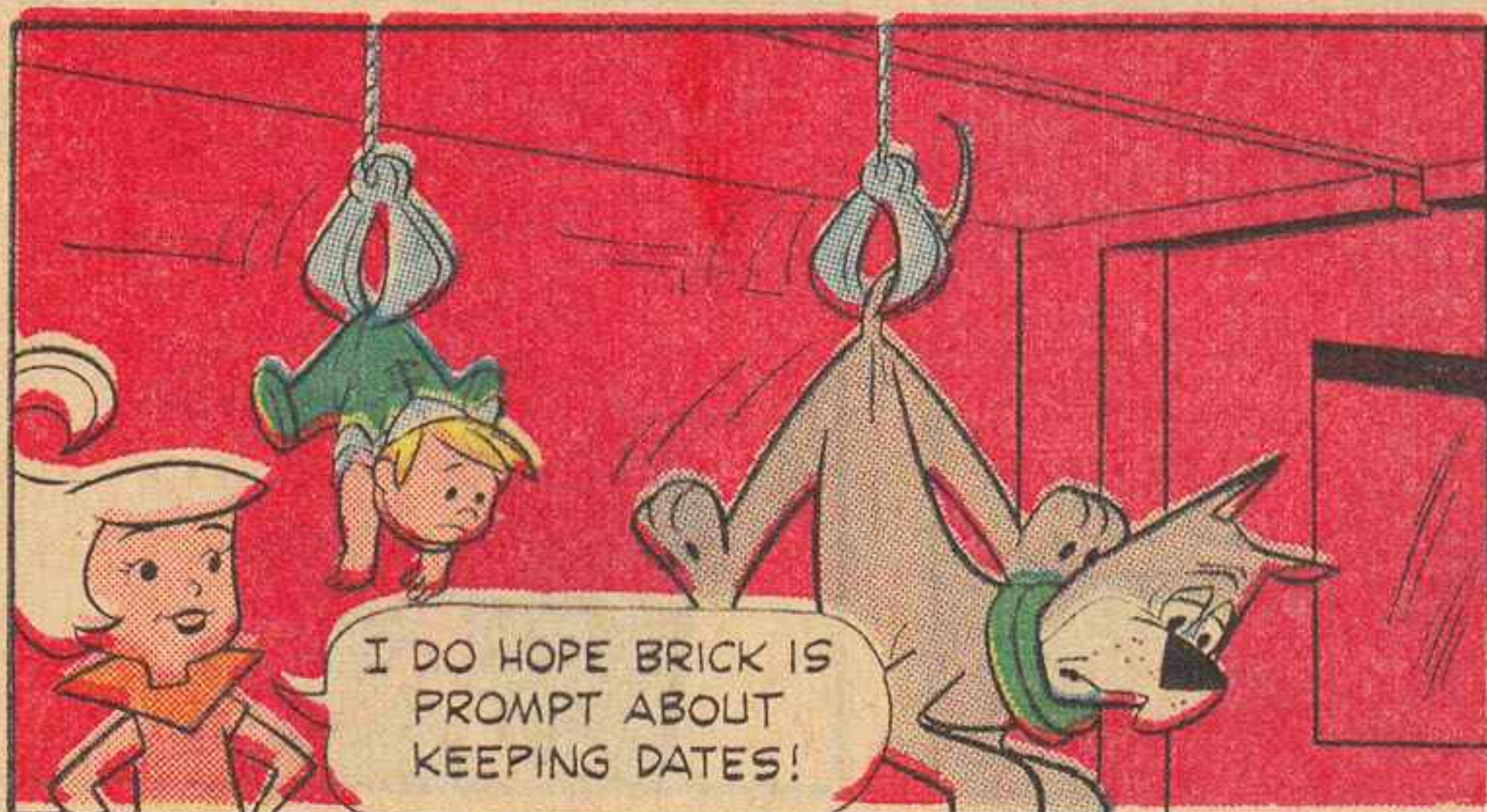


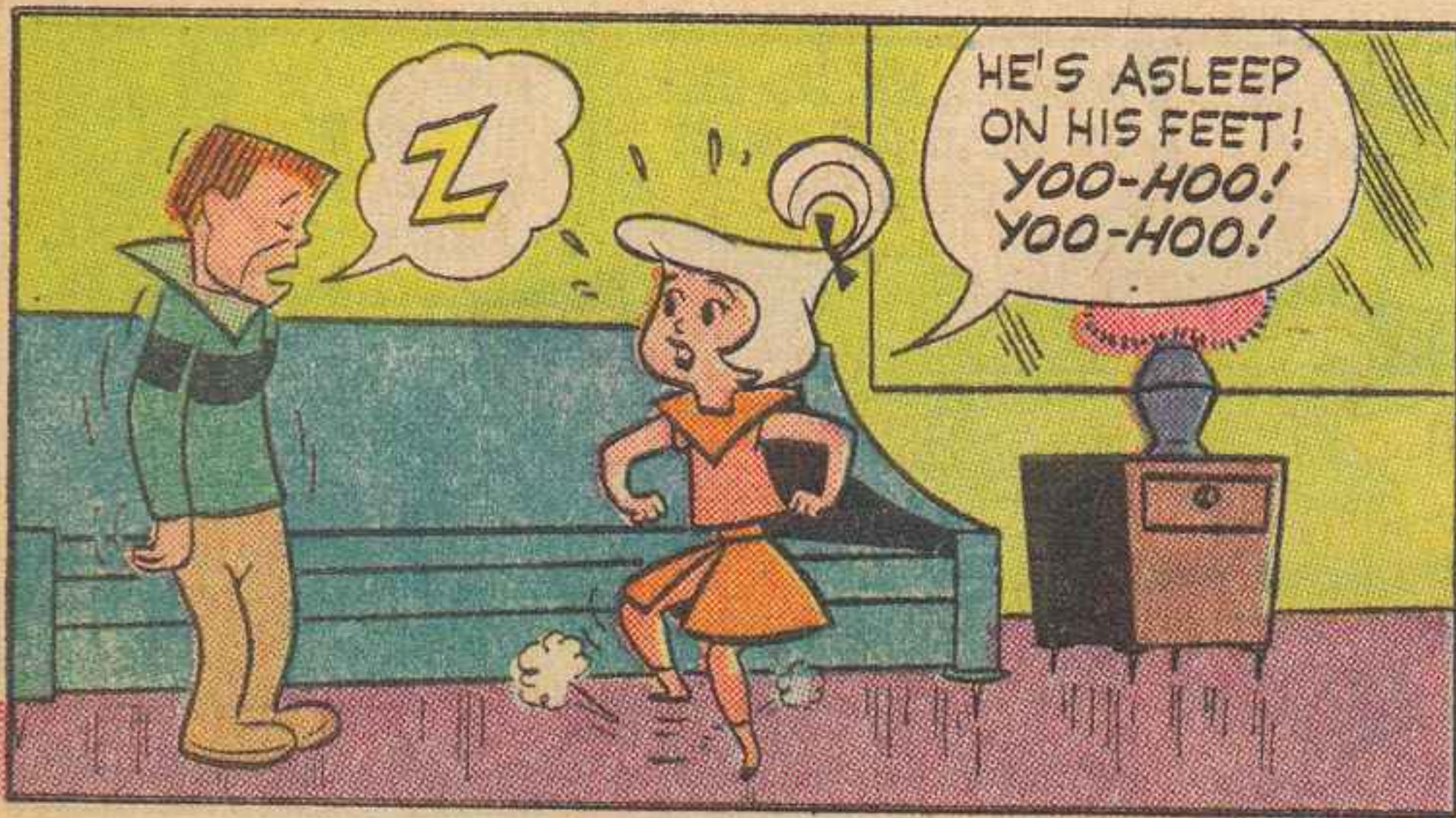
BRICK O'BRACK... THE HE-MAN CAPTAIN OF THE SCHOOL FOOSH-BALL TEAM! ZOW!

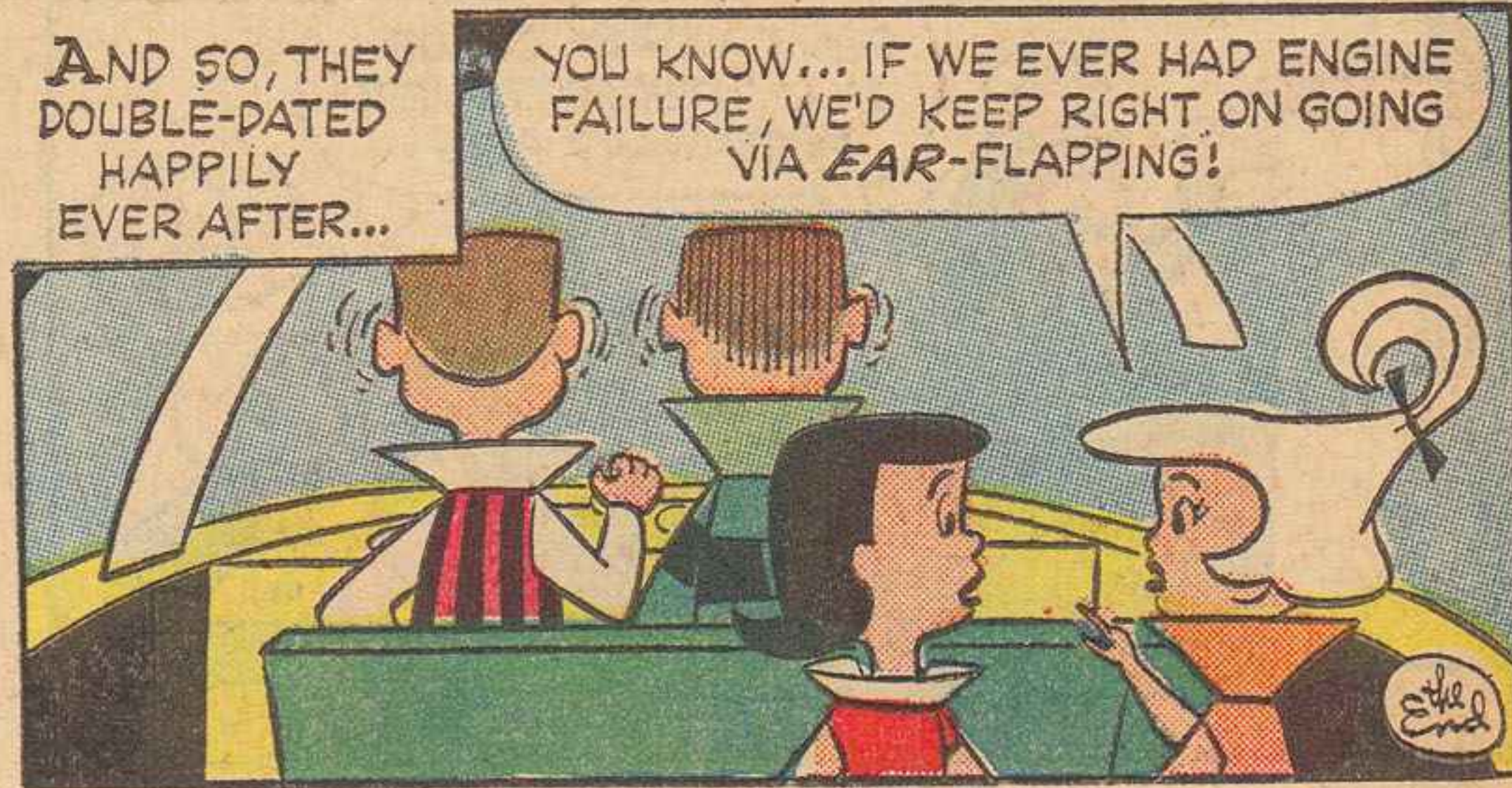
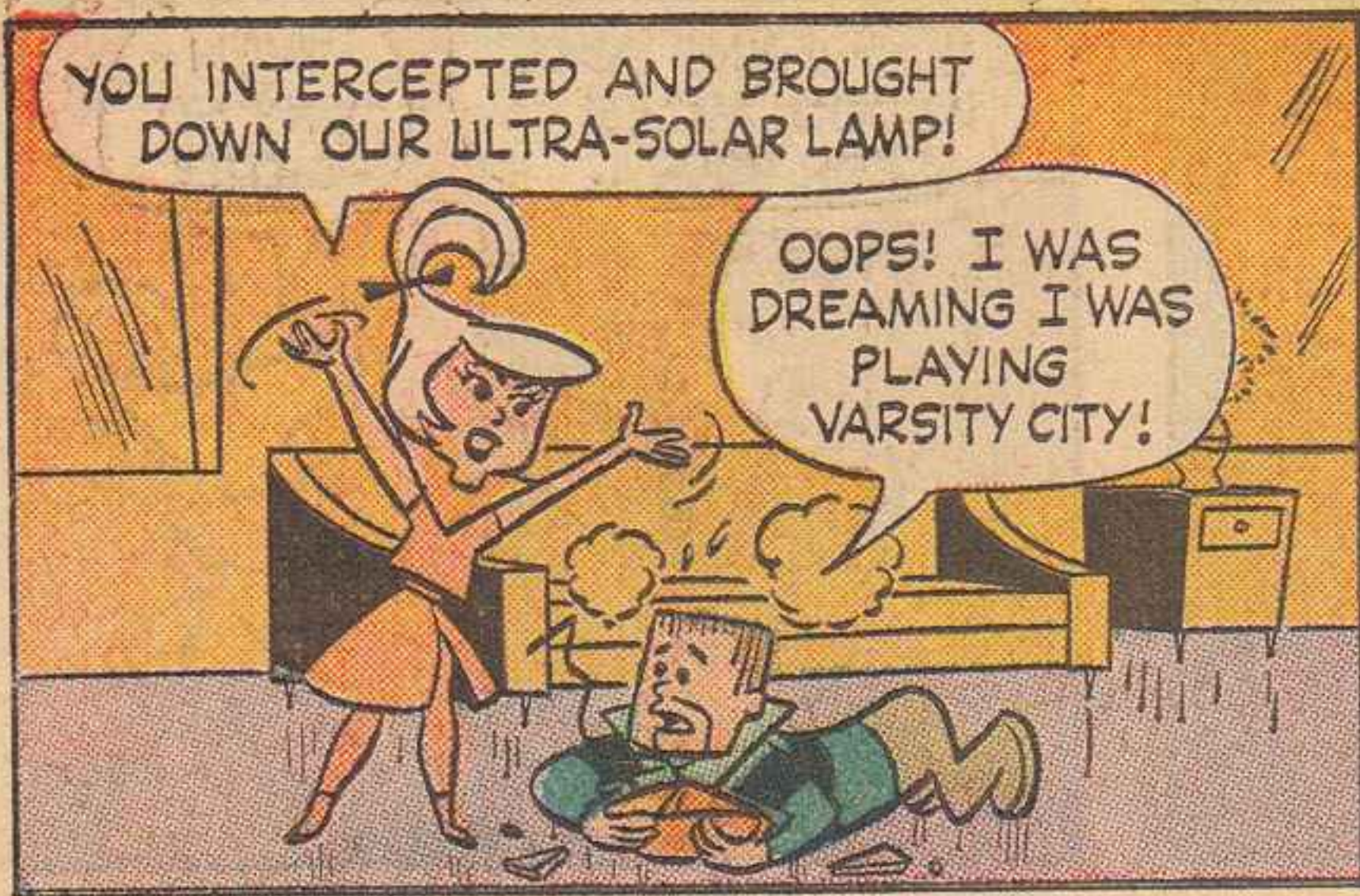














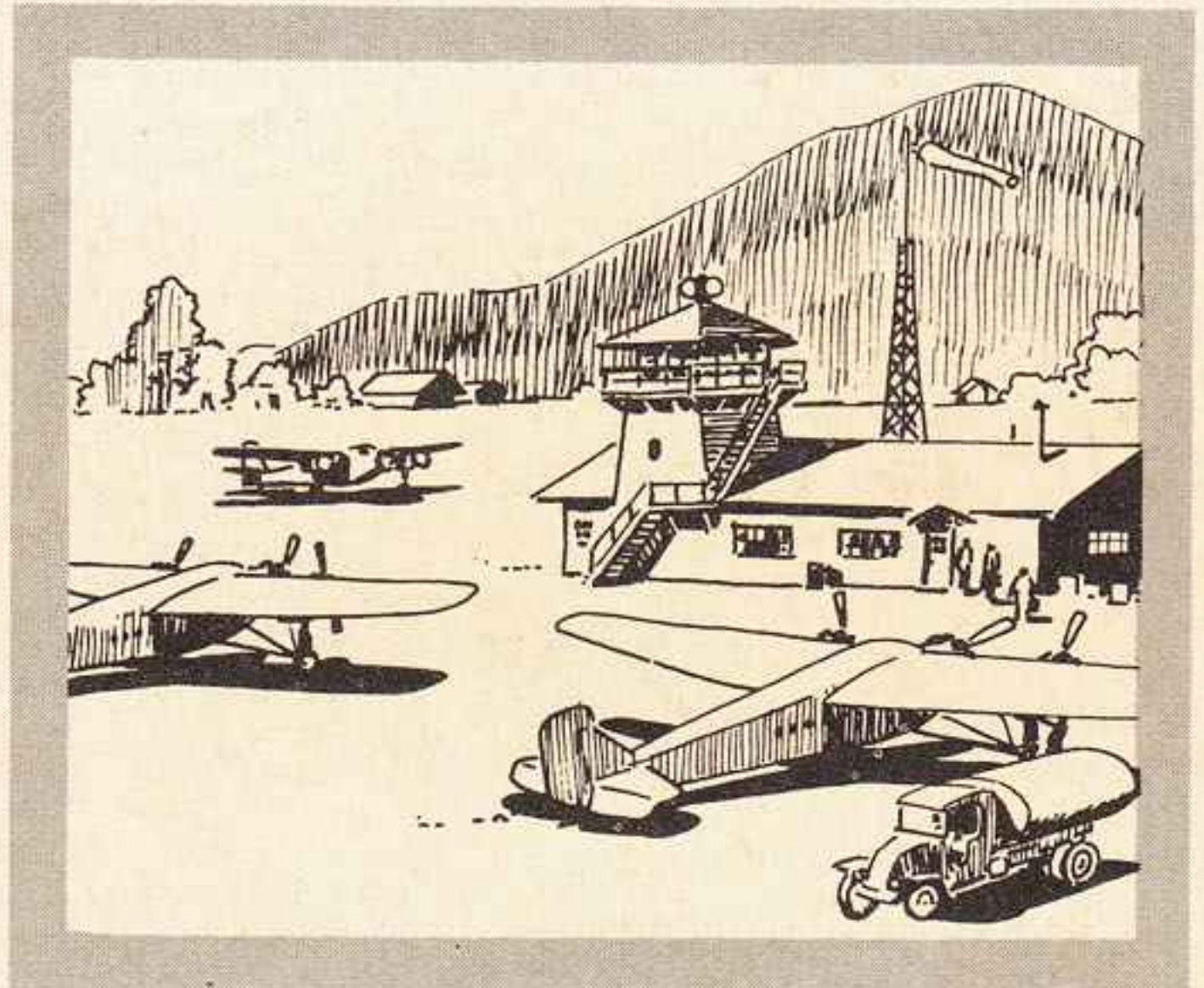
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Work Horses for Industry

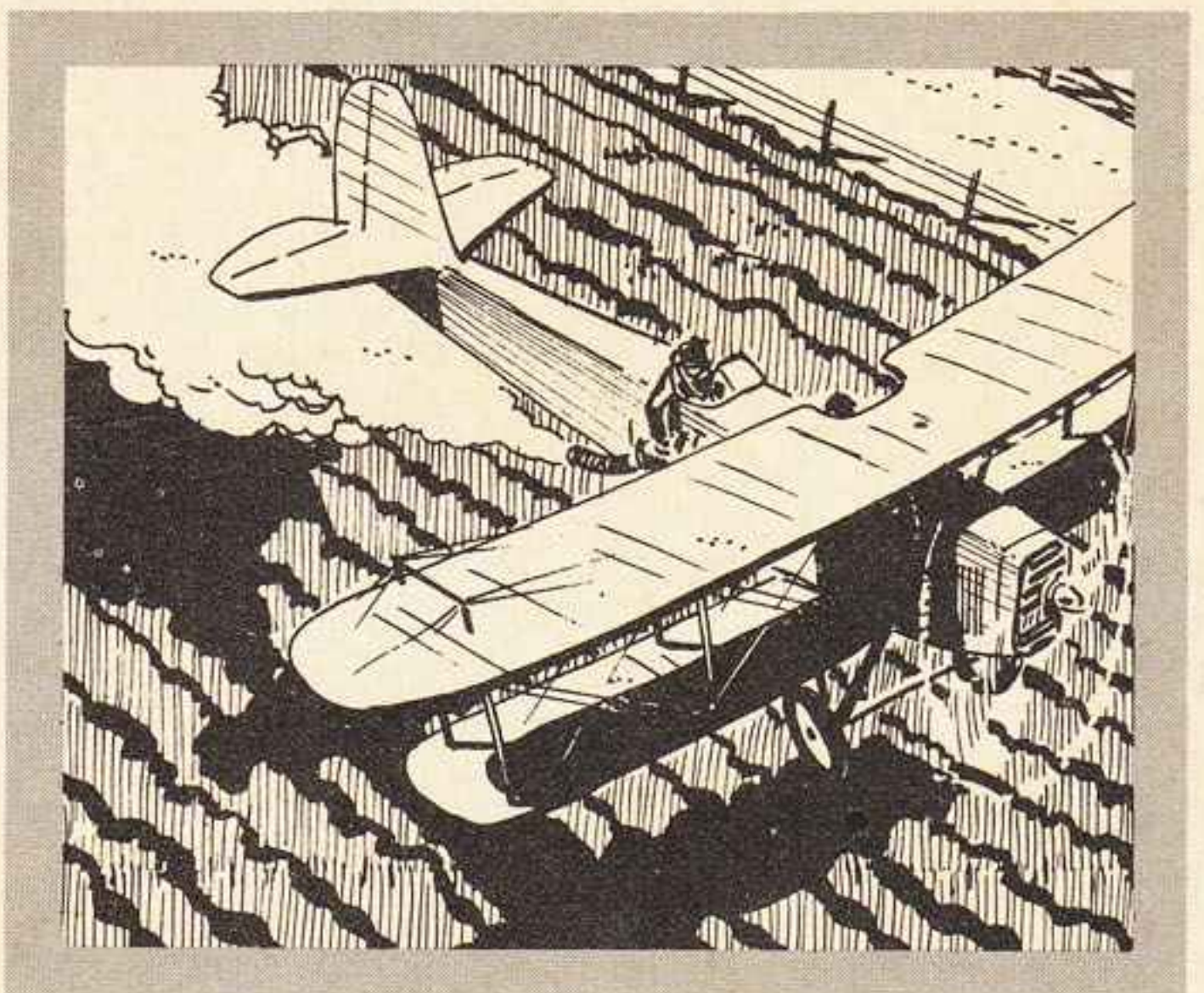
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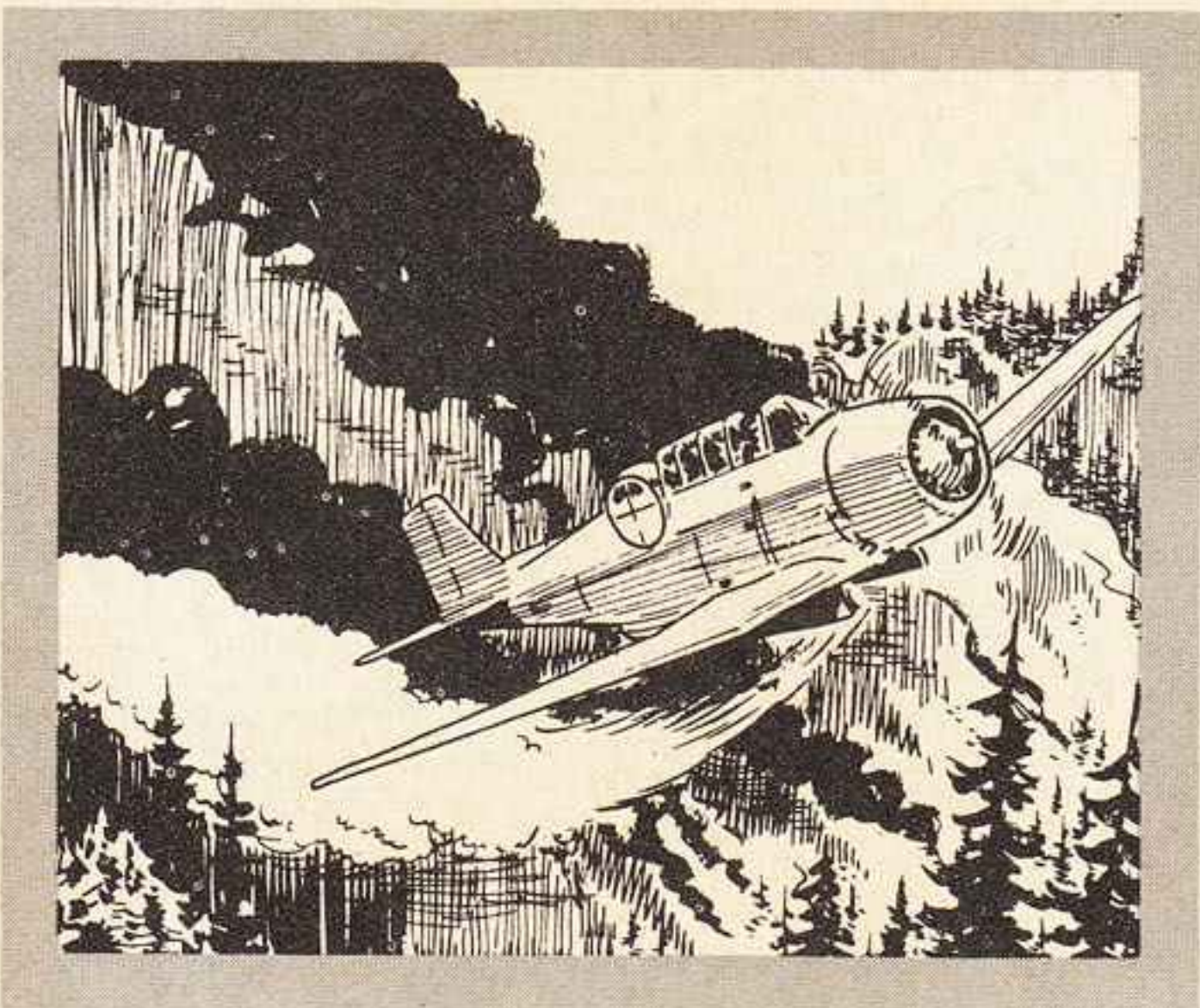
When planes were designed that were capable of transporting people and cargo safely and cheaply, aviation became a sizable industry.



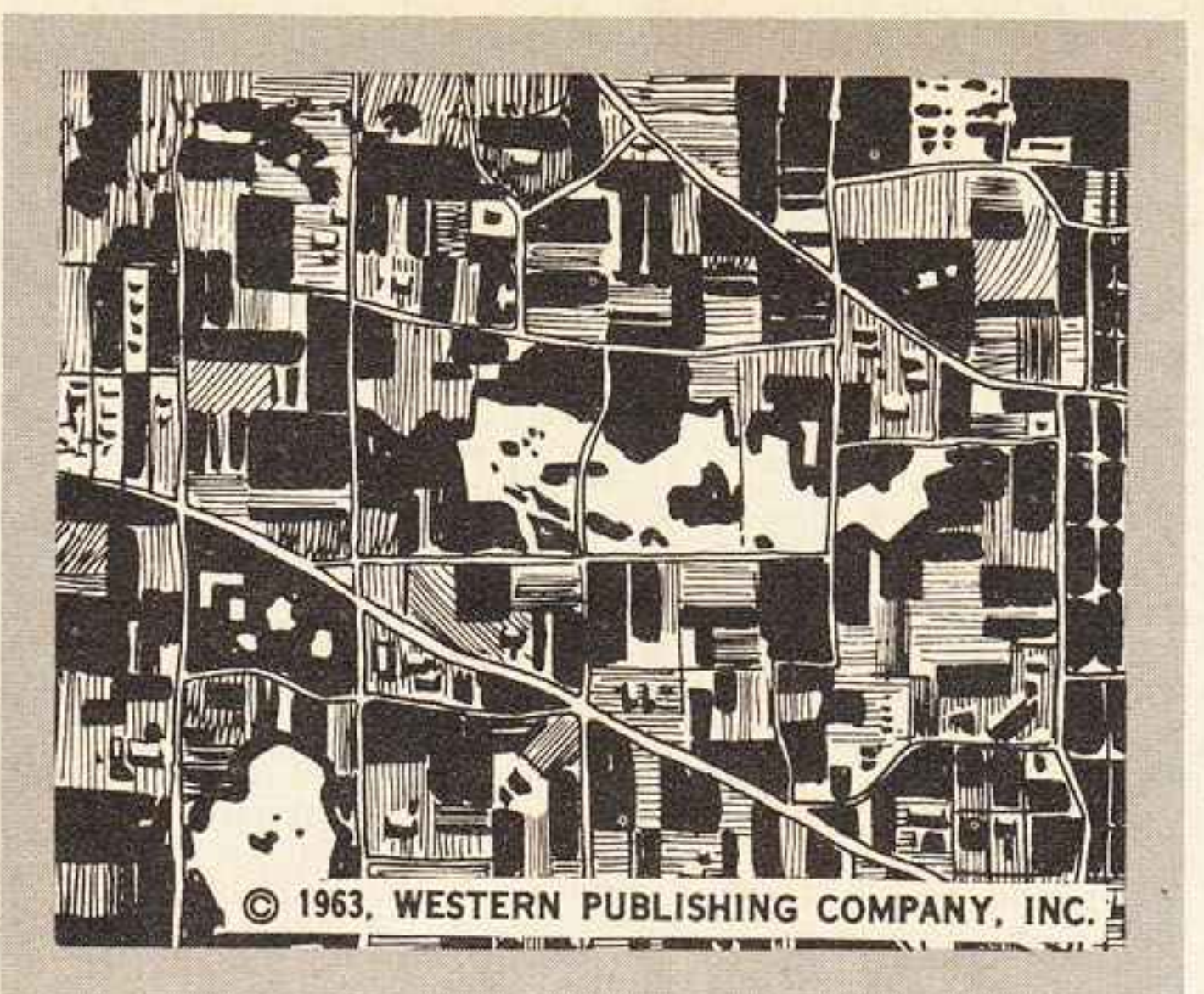
Commercial air lines were formed. By 1930, many people traveled by air, and the first stewardesses joined the crews to serve them.



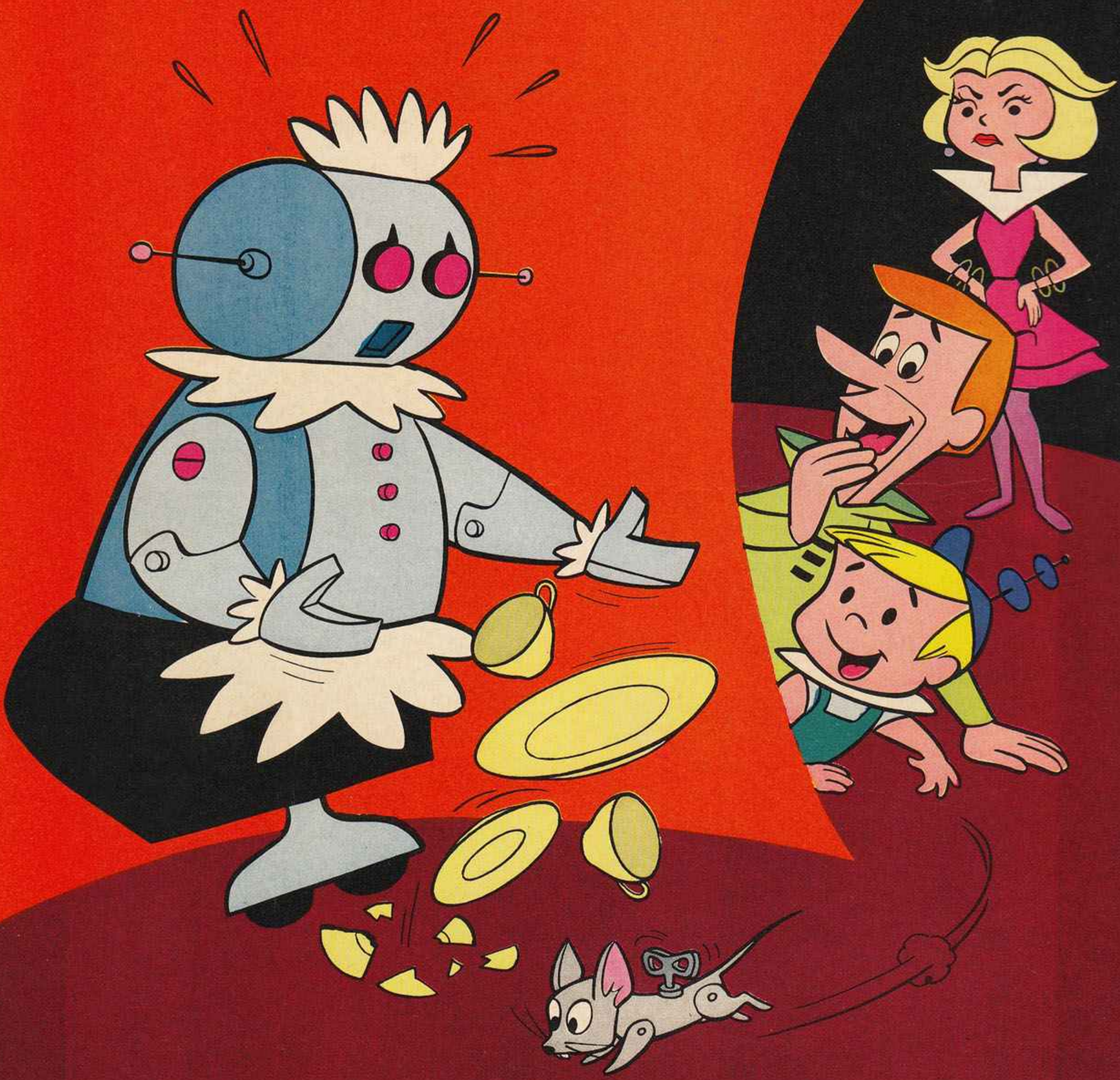
On farms and ranches, planes went to work. They sprayed the crops with insecticides and were used by cowboys to round up cattle.



Beleaguered fire fighters got priceless aid when the terrible holocausts of forest fires were challenged by bombings from the air.



Mapping the face of the earth could now be far more accurate, with cameras in planes to take pictures of man's bird's-eye view.



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